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Tonight: Showers, Partial Clearing
Thursday: Sunny Periods, Cooler

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Postal Accord Made

OTTAWA (CP) — Tentative agreement has been reached with the government in the lengthy postal dispute and it will be put to a ratification vote by members, the Letter Carriers Union of Canada announced today.

The announcement was the first break in the dispute between the treasury board and the postal workers that has continued since the last contract expired in March.

No details of the settlement were available, but a conciliation board report presented in December recommended a wage increase of 63 cents-an-hour in a contract lasting to Dec. 31, 1974.

Both union and government negotiators agreed to accept a new explanation of a conciliation board clause concerning job classification grievances.

The clause caused the collapse of bargaining talks last week, an event followed by unauthorized postal strikes in several cities including Toronto and Vancouver.

Postmaster-General Andre Ouellet told the Commons Tuesday that government negotiators had a mandate to sign an agreement and that settlement was close.

The agreement on the disputed clause in the conciliation report was made public Tuesday night and signed by all three members of the board.

The union had interpreted the disputed clause to mean there would be third-party arbitration of job classification grievances, a view rejected by the government.

The explanation Tuesday said both parties had legitimate differences of opinion caused by the wording of the report.

Banner Hails Peace

"All people welcome the ceasefire to proceed to a genuine lasting peace," reads street banner being raised in South Vietnamese capital following announcement of the agreement negotiated between the United States and Hanoi.



Ceasefire Pact Allows Hanoi Troops to Stay

WASHINGTON (CP) — North Vietnam will be allowed to keep its estimated 140,000 troops in South Vietnam under the terms of a peace agreement with both China and the Soviet Union joining in an international conference to guarantee the Vietnamese peace.

Details of the peace package, under which the United States will withdraw all its remaining forces from South Vietnam and get its captured soldiers back, were disclosed in Washington and Hanoi today following announcement that a ceasefire will take effect Saturday.

A major concession on the part of the U.S. and South Vietnam is that Hanoi will not have to withdraw its troops from the southern battlefields. This had been a top demand by Washington in previous negotiations.

The formal agreement declares that the South Vietnamese people have an inalienable right to self-determination and "shall decide themselves the political future of South Vietnam" through genuinely free and democratic general elections under international supervision.

To help shape South Vietnam's political future, a national council of national reconciliation and concord will be set up with equal representation given to the Saigon regime, the Viet Cong and neutral parties.

"The council shall operate on the principle of unanimity," the document said.

The agreement envisions signing by the Saigon government and Viet Cong of their own accord on internal mat-

ters, hopefully within 90 days following the ceasefire.

In essence, the agreement and four accompanying diplomatic documents, called protocols, drew close to a Washington-Hanoi draft agreement made known last Oct. 26.

The day when Henry Kissinger, President Nixon's chief negotiator, proclaimed that "peace is at hand."

The settlement package calls for a four-power international control commission force of 1,100 persons to go to South Vietnam as a peace-keeping unit.

Meanwhile, fighting surged across much of South Vietnam today despite the ceasefire announcement, and Saigon officials said they were ready for more Communist attacks before a ceasefire comes into force.

"We believe the enemy has the intention to capture more land and people before a ceasefire," a South Vietnamese military spokesman said.

Other sources said some South Vietnamese forays also would be extended into uncontrolled areas in an effort to raise the government's flag over as much territory as possible.

There was widely-scattered ground fighting overnight and U.S. and South Vietnamese planes were operating as usual.

U.S. sources indicated that U.S. bombing strikes would begin tapering off Thursday but that some strikes probably will be flown until just before the start of the ceasefire at 8 a.m. Sunday, Saigon time, or 4 p.m. PST Saturday.

The sources said it appeared likely that U.S. advisers still in the field with South Vietnamese troops and assigned to provincial and district teams will begin pulling out in the next few days.

The South Vietnamese command reported 95 "enemy initiated incidents" in the 24 hours ending at 6 a.m. today, bearing out earlier predictions by senior commanders that the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong would launch at least one more major effort to gain territory and control of population before the ceasefire.

The nine-year-old demilitarized zone between North and South was recognized by the agreement as "only provisional and not a political or territorial boundary." The agreement envisions ultimate reunification of Vietnam on the basis of a North-South set-

HANOI CLAIMS VICTORY

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam's Le Duc Tho said today the Vietnam peace agreement was "a great victory for the Vietnamese people" and contained no secret or tacit understandings on withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam.

War Cost 'Staggers'

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
For everyone involved, the cost of the Vietnam war has been staggering, both in terms of lives and dollars. Here is a quick look at some of these costs.

Casualties—The U.S. defence department says 45,928 Americans were killed in action, and more than 300,000 were wounded between 1961 and the end of 1972. The South Vietnamese command says 160,902 of its troops and an estimated 922,245 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong were killed in the same period.

The U.S. Senate subcommittee on refugees estimates civilian casualties in South Vietnam at 415,000 killed and 935,000 wounded from 1965 through 1972.

Taxes—The war has cost U.S. taxpayers nearly \$137 billion.

U.S. Servicemen—About 2.6 million Americans have served in the armed forces in Vietnam and another 700,000 elsewhere in Southeast Asia or on ships off the Vietnamese coast.

Refugees—The war has created, at least temporarily, more than six million refugees in South Vietnam, said Senator Edward Kennedy (Dem., Mass.), chairman of the Senate subcommittee on refugees. Millions of others have been driven from their homes in Laos, Cambodia and North Vietnam.

Aircraft Losses—The United States has lost 4,900 helicopters and 3,700 fixed-wing planes, about 1,100 of them over North Vietnam.

Bombing—U.S. warplanes dropped about 7.1 million tons of bombs and rockets on the four countries of Indochina. That is about three times the tonnage dropped by U.S. planes in the Second World War and 10 times the amount in the Korean War.

Houses Set Aflame By Rain of Lava

NO RENT GOUGING FOUND

Little evidence has been found of unjustified rent increases being charged to elderly citizens following establishment of the province's new \$200-a-month minimum income. Rehabilitation Minister Norman Levi said Tuesday.

Levi appointed three persons last fall to look into charges of unfair rent increases being charged. He was commenting on the report of the three investigators.

Levi said the rental increases that have occurred are between five and six per cent, which he termed "not unfair." The minister said he has met representatives of two B.C. apartment owners' associations and found no indication that rents were being boosted indiscriminately.

REYKJAVIK (Reuters) — The Helgafell volcano, which erupted suddenly Tuesday for the first time in thousands of years, burst out into even greater fury today.

Lumps of glowing lava shot high into the sky, falling on houses on the fringes of the almost-deserted fishing town of Vestmannaeyjar, in the Westman islands off Iceland's south coast, and setting them on fire.

A change of wind brought the hot lava stones down on the easternmost and southernmost houses of the town.

Premier Olafur Johannesson held day-long talks with his cabinet and then told the nation in a televised address that the catastrophe was the worst in 1,100 years of Icelandic history.

"He said the loss of this fishing area will have serious effects on the country's economy since the fishermen of the Westman Islands caught nearly 17 per cent of the entire Icelandic catch in 1972.

Dormant for about 7,000 years, Helgafell, on the main Westman island of Heimaey, erupted at 2 a.m. Tuesday without warning.

The outburst blasted a 1½-mile crack, almost splitting the island in two.

More than 5,000 islanders fled their homes as lava and hot ash showered down. All were accommodated in private homes on the mainland.

The eruption continued during the night. Experts said it could go on for days, months or even years.

So far the eruption has caused little damage because of a combination of lucky events, the situation of the long crater rift, the flow of lava in a direction towards the sea and the course of the wind.

Johannesson announced that the government has appointed a five-man committee to look into the economic effects for Iceland of the loss of the Westman islands.

Haiti Pays Terrorists To Free U.S. Diplomats

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PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (UPI) — Five Haitian terrorists today released U.S. Ambassador Clinton K. Ross and U.S. Consul Ward Christensen in return for a government promise to fly them, 12 political prisoners and \$70,000 ransom money to Mexico.

They had been holding the diplomats at gunpoint since Tuesday night.

A spokesman for the American embassy in Port au Prince said the gunmen released Knox and Christensen unharmed at the airport after the French ambassador intervened in the case.

A C-46 plane of the govern-

ment airline Air Haiti was ready to take off for Mexico with the five kidnappers, 12 political prisoners, whose release they had demanded, and \$70,000 in cash aboard. Also aboard the plane were Mexican Ambassador to Haiti Armando Amador Duran, Papal Nuncio Luigi Barbarito and French Ambassador Bernard Dorin.

Dorin had carried out most of the negotiations with the terrorists, personally guaranteeing their safe passage out of the country in an appeal made over the Haitian radio. The gunmen apparently chose to go to Mexico of their own accord.

NEWS BRIEFS

Ownership Bill Read

OTTAWA (UPI) — All new foreign business investment in Canada would be screened by the federal government to assure it is of "significant benefit to Canada" under a bill introduced in the Commons today.

Under the new bill a foreign investment review agency would be set up, within the industry department, and the agency's commissioner would report to Industry Minister Alastair Gillespie.

Snow Closure

STEWART (CP) — Schools in this isolated B.C. town remained closed today, following an eight-inch snowfall Tuesday. The town, with a population of 750, has been inundated with 189 inches of snow so far this winter.

Bombs in Belfast

BELFAST (Reuters) — Two bombs exploded within an hour of each other here today, wrecking a downtown police motor-vehicle bureau and damaging an auto supply company. There were no injuries in either blast.

Walkout Flops

TORONTO (CP) — A 21-hour walkout by machinists at Toronto International Airport was abandoned Tuesday night when 1,000 Air Canada workers refused to support it. It was planned for midnight to support 60 striking stewardesses of Wardair Canada Ltd.

Runway Collapsed

AMMAN (AFP) — Royal Jordanian Airlines announced Tuesday night that a runway gave way, causing the crash of a Boeing 707 at Kano in northern Nigeria Monday, killing a confirmed 156.

Thalidomide Offers

OTTAWA (CP) — Health Minister Marc Lalonde told the Commons Tuesday that manufacturers of the thalidomide drug, which caused deformities in unborn babies, are negotiating with individual parents toward "a private settlement."

Canada Agrees To Peace Force

Times News Services

OTTAWA — External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp said today that Canada will take part in a Vietnam ceasefire observer force for 60 days when the combatants have signed the truce agreement.

During the initial 60 days, the government will decide whether to contribute for a longer period to the proposed four-country observer group.

Sharp told the Commons that it will take several days to study the peace agreement, announced Tuesday, in order to make a final decision on participation for longer than 60 days.

He said Canada also would

base its decision on the lessons of the initial period.

Canada, Hungary, Indonesia and Poland will be asked to contribute 290 military personnel each to a four-power international commission of control and supervision to police the Vietnam ceasefire.

Formal documents issued today indicate that the commission — to be manned by the troops of the two Communist and two Western nations — will contribute a total of 1,100 men.

External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp emphasized Tuesday night that Canada would not decide whether to participate until the govern-

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Detector scans Montreal passenger

Airport Searches

Air Canada has begun a security program which eventually will require every boarding passenger to undergo an inspection with a metal detector or magnetometer and a search of all hand luggage.

The new program should come into effect at Victoria International Airport within two weeks, an Air Canada spokesman said today.

Certain security procedures are already being used in the airport, he said, but refused to describe them as he said it would diminish their effectiveness. The new equipment will simply beef up existing precautions, he said.

The airline said the program, expected to cost more than \$1 million a year, began Jan. 5 on all flights coming into Canada from the United States.

"Since that time, inspection of all hand luggage has been progressively increased at Canadian airports," said Jack Barclay, Air Canada's security chief.

The measures will be in effect by mid-February at all 22 domestic airports served by the airline and at all foreign airports to which it flies.

Legislation requiring fines of up to \$5,000 or one year in prison for people who refuse to obey orders of security officers at airports was introduced in the House of Commons Monday.

Captain John D. Wright, president of the Canadian Airline Pilots' Association, said Tuesday he was gratified by the legislation, which would require strict security measures and searches to be applied to all passengers.

U.S. Military Bases to Stay Under New Pact With Japan

New York Times

TOKYO — The United States and Japan announced Tuesday a major consolidation of American military bases in Japan that will not significantly reduce American forces nor impair American military operations here. American officials indicated that the U.S. would retain large bases and forces here for at least five years more and probably longer. There had been widespread speculation that the U.S. would gra-

dually withdraw from Japan during the next few years.

The officials acknowledged the bases were being maintained even though there have been pressures for their reduction or elimination. These included: The stated goal of the Nixon doctrine that Asian nations should assume the burdens of their own conventional defence, calls in the U.S. for reduction in the cost of maintaining foreign bases and for cuts in American forces overseas, and widespread demands in Japan for

the withdrawal of all U.S. forces.

Officials told American newsmen in a background briefing that they had obtained the "common agreement" of the Japanese government that the presence of American forces in Japan contributed to the peace and stability of Asia by deterring aggression.

The two governments announced that Tachikawa, an air force base near Tokyo, an air-to-ground target range, an

army camp, major portions of another air base, and several housing areas would be returned to Japan within three years.

Military strength under the consolidation plan will be cut by 2,100 persons, bringing total strength in Japan, including Okinawa, down to 62,500. In addition to that cut, largely in air force logistics, personnel, 500 American civilians and 7,500 American dependents will be returned to the U.S. Further, 7,500 Japanese employees will be dismissed.

SUPERVISE

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ment has had time to thoroughly study the cease-fire agreement and be satisfied that conditions it had set down were being met.

Prime Minister Trudeau reiterated today that no decision has yet been made, but said "we are certainly looking forward to playing our role as Canadians in the reconstruction of that part of southeast Asia."

The control commission will place 108 personnel in its Saigon headquarters and 20 each in seven region teams.

The remainder will be divided among three teams in the Saigon region; 26 teams based at locations throughout South Vietnam, 12 teams at border and coastal points, seven teams for the return of prisoners and seven teams for general use.

The number in the police force appeared to split the difference between the South Vietnamese request for more than 2,000 and the North Vietnamese request for only several hundred.

Although all decisions must be taken by unanimous vote, the commission is required to investigate if any of the four nations' requests are.

The agreements also call for establishment of a national council of national reconciliation and concord consisting of representatives of the Saigon government, the Viet Cong and South Vietnamese neutralist groups. The primary objective of the council is to organize "free and democratic elections" in South Vietnam.

Two mixed-military commissions will supervise the cease-fire. One of these would consist of representatives of Saigon and the Viet Cong while the other includes representatives of the United States, North Vietnam, Saigon and the Viet Cong.

Meanwhile, the armed forces have adopted a sit-tight attitude while they await the political decision on whether Canadian troops will participate in a Vietnam truce supervision force.

A forces spokesman said today that no orders have gone out for a selected 400 men to begin to collect at a central point in preparation for departure, if needed.

Non-was there any move to prepare any additional men for Vietnam service in case the 400 are not enough or are not specialists in the right categories.

The 400 were given their instructions and told to be prepared to go to Vietnam on short notice before Christmas as the Paris peace talks successfully concluded Tuesday, appeared to be making progress.

Nixon Leads Mourners

WASHINGTON (UPI)

The body of Lyndon Baines Johnson came back to Washington for the final time today, for a slow procession through the streets of the city he once dominated as the 36th U.S. president.

President Nixon, Johnson's widow and family were leading the mourners, with a caisson drawn by six white horses — followed by a single, riderless horse — starting from near the White House and drawing his flag-draped coffin to the cadence of muffled drums.

His final journey to Washington from Texas, where he suffered a fatal heart seizure Monday at his ranch, was aboard the same blue and white presidential jet in which Johnson took the oath of office Nov. 22, 1963, after the assassination of John F. Kennedy.

The departure from Texas was marked by a poignant scene harking back to the Kennedy funeral. When Johnson's body was transferred to the plane, his grandson, Patrick Nugent, 5, saluted the coffin. The son of Johnson's younger daughter held his right hand at his eyebrow for two minutes.

It recalled the day of Kennedy's Washington funeral when his son John Jr., 3 at the time, saluted his father's casket as it was taken from the church for the procession to Arlington National Cemetery.

Johnson's body will lie in state all night beneath the ornate rotunda of the capitol.

Johnson's funeral is set for Thursday morning at the National City Christian Church. His body will be flown back to Texas for burial in a secluded hill country family cemetery.

Meat Truck Hijacking Feared

LETHBRIDGE (CP)

Threats of meat packing plants and several trucking companies have been warned by city police that shipments of meat to Vancouver could be hijacked.

A spokesman for Miller and Brown freighlines said drivers were instructed to stay with their trucks during the trip west. A truck holds 36,000 pounds of dressed carcasses worth about \$23,000 wholesale.

CEASEFIRE

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tlement, "without coercion or annexation by either party."

As expected, the settlement includes a vaguely worded promise of future American aid to the Hanoi government.

It said: "The United States anticipated that this agreement will usher in an era of reconciliation with the Democratic Republic of Vietnam as with all people of Indochina. In pursuance of its traditional policy, the United States will contribute to healing the wounds of war and to postwar reconstruction of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and throughout Indochina."

The Saturday ceremony in Paris calls for the signing of two separate but virtually identical documents, major differences being in the preamble section.

One document will be signed by State Secretary William Rogers and by North Vietnamese Foreign Minister Tran Van Lam. The other will bear the signatures of Foreign Minister Nguyen Duy Trinh for the Saigon government and Foreign Minister Nguyen Thi Binh for the Viet Cong.

The accord forbids Saigon and the Viet Cong to accept foreign troops, military advisers, armaments and other war goods. However, the document adds:

"The two South Vietnamese parties shall be permitted to make periodic replacement of

armaments, munitions and war material which have been destroyed, damaged, worn out or used after the ceasefire, on the basis of piece-for-piece of these same characteristics and properties." The international control commission would supervise such operations.

In Washington today, Kissinger said a formal ceasefire will be negotiated soon in Laos, and that a de facto ceasefire would come into being over a period of time in Cambodia.

Cambodian Premier Hang Thun Hak confirmed this, saying his country's armed forces will cease all offensive operations against North Vietnamese, Viet Cong and rebel Cambodian guerrillas after the Vietnam ceasefire begins Saturday.

Other important highlights of the main agreement to be signed Saturday:

All American prisoners in Indochina will be released within 60 days after the ceasefire takes effect.

All United States military personnel will be withdrawn from South Vietnam within the same time.

An international conference to acknowledge the signed agreements, to guarantee the ending of the war, and to maintain the peace, will be held within 30 days of the signing of the peace accord in Paris Saturday.

Relief, Cynicism Greet Ceasefire

Times News Services

Around the world, the Vietnam peace announcement was greeted with varied emotions, ranging from weary cynicism to cautious elation.

Members of the U.S. Congress coupled their expressions of relief at the end of hostilities and the impending release of U.S. prisoners with questions about the long-range prospects for Indochina.

Senate Minority Leader Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania sounded the predominant theme when he said: "This is a day for which each of us should be thankful to the Lord God. The unwanted Vietnam war... divided this country as we have not been divided for more than 100 years. But we Americans now should take pride in what has been accomplished... we have a peace... Potentially, it can become a lasting peace."

In the Moscow the Soviet government hailed the agreement as a realistic step to-

ward a settlement and called it "a success for the Vietnamese people."

The statement from the foreign ministry followed earlier comment from Politburo member Andrei Kirilenko who described the agreement as a "great victory" for the Vietnamese Communists.

The Chinese foreign ministry issued a brief statement shortly after the agreement was announced in Washington, Hanoi and Saigon.

The Japanese government said it "fervently hopes the Vietnamese authorities will seriously and honestly" settle their problems without more fighting. Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka told his governing Liberal Democratic party he expects Japan's international responsibilities to increase after the war ends.

The British foreign office said the agreement provides the opportunity to convert it to "an enduring peace throughout Indochina."

President Nixon's address, contained no reference to any possible amnesty for draft dodgers and deserters, and to many of them, the announcement meant little.

"I lost personal interest in the war a long time ago," said musician Gary Davis, 23, who has been living in Montreal for a "couple of years," and has no intention of returning to the U.S. even if there is an amnesty.

the weather

Cooler and drier air moved across the north coast late Tuesday and will spread southeastward over the rest of the province today, and tonight. Along with a return to more seasonal temperatures this cooler air mass should permit a few glimpses of sunshine in most areas.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE 3 A.M. FORECASTS Valid Until Midnight Thursday

Greater Victoria: Gale warning continued for Juan de Fuca Strait. Today, mainly cloudy with a few showers. Gusts winds - Highs in the upper 40s. Thursday, cloudy with sunny periods and a little cooler. Lows tonight in the mid-30s. Highs Thursday 40 to 45.

Lower Mainland, East Vancouver Island: Gale warnings ended. Today, mainly cloudy with a few periods of rain. Windy at times. Highs in the upper 40s. Thursday, cloudy with sunny periods. Not quite so mild. Lows tonight in the mid-30s. Highs Thursday 40 to 45.

North and West Vancouver Island: Gale warnings ended. Today, mainly cloudy with a few showers. Frequently mixed with snow over the northern sections. Brisk northwest winds at times. Lows 40 to 45. Thursday,

cloudy with a few sunny periods. Lows tonight 30 to 35. Highs Thursday in the mid-40s.

TEMPERATURES Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Préc.
Victoria	53	38	.02
Normal	43	36	

One Year Ago

	Max.	Min.	Préc.
Victoria	41	32	.53

Across the Continent

	Max.	Min.	Préc.
St. John's	41	31	.42
Halifax	47	34	1.11
St. John	46	34	
Montreal	41	32	Trace
Ottawa	39	27	.04
Toronto	39	29	Trace
North Bay	37	6	Trace
Churchill	6	1	Trace
The Pas	39	27	
Thunder Bay	26	3	.09
Kenora	22	11	
Winnipeg	29	16	
Regina	41	25	
Saskatoon	38	31	
Prince Albert	39	16	
Med. Hat	48	35	
Lethbridge	53	23	
Calgary	52	29	
Edmonton	43	31	
Penticton	40	36	
Cranbrook	42	34	
Vancouver	45	32	.45
Prince Rupert	46	29	.99

Prince George

	Max.	Min.	Préc.
Napaimo	45	35	
Kamloops	49	38	
Revelstoke	38	35	
Fort Nelson	40	12	.02
Peace River	46	32	

Whitehorse 31 13

Fort St. John 45 32

U.S. temperatures: Anchorage -5, -26; Detroit 35, 27; Honolulu 83, 71; Chicago 37, 28; New York 58, 37; Seattle 52, 44; Spokane 40, 33; Portland 51, 41; San Francisco 52, 33; Los Angeles 65, 46.

World temperatures: Rome 61, 45; Paris 43, 38; London 45, 38; Berlin 36, 30; Amsterdam 39, 36; Brussels 43, 32; Madrid 54, 39; Moscow 8, 2; Stockholm 36, 32; Tokyo 54, 41.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

	Sunshine, Jan.	68.4 hrs.
Last Jan.	40.4 hrs.	
Normal (30 years)	46.6 hrs.	
Sunshine, 1973	68.4 hrs.	
Last Year	40.4 hrs.	
Normal (30 years)	46.6 hrs.	
Precipitation, Jan.	2.24 ins.	
Last Jan.	5.01 ins.	
Normal (30 years)	3.61 ins.	
Precipitation, 1973	2.24 ins.	
Last Year	5.01 ins.	
Normal (30 years)	3.61 ins.	

Sunrise, Sunset Thursday (Pacific Standard Time)

Sunrise, 07:53 Sunset, 16:59

TIDES AT VICTORIA HARBOUR

Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.
24 07:00	9.4	14:00	5.5
25 07:20	9.4	14:20	4.8
26 08:05	9.4	14:20	4.1

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.	Time Ht.
24 07:35	5.7	08:25	11.3
25 02:05	7.0	09:05	11.3
26 03:10	4.3	09:25	11.0

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SOCREDS READY FOR SESSION

Opposition Leader W. A. C. Bennett may not be around for several weeks of the legislative session starting Thursday, but his nine fellow Social Credit MLAs aren't worried or resentful.

Or, if they are, they're not saying so.

Socred house leader Frank Richter said today the Opposition's stance and policies at the session were "fully discussed" with Bennett before he left on a world cruise in mid-December.

"We have our policy as the official Opposition and there can be variations to our basic approach depending a good deal on what emanates from the government side of the house," Richter said.

"We must be prepared to determine and take our position as a responsible opposition, and our leader has indicated he has confidence in us to do that."

In any case, Richter said, he fully expects that Bennett may be back to head the Socred team in the house a lot sooner than many people suspect.

The latest word from the former premier was that he would be leaving for Victoria immediately after his ship docks at Singapore March 12, but Richter noted there are other ports of call before that date.

Richter stresses that the opposition intends to act in a responsible way, and will not oppose the government simply for the sake of opposing.

Several of the caucus members will be opposition "watch-dogs" in the areas for which they held cabinet responsibility when the Social Credit party formed the government. Jim Chabot (SC—Columbia River) will cover labor—he was labor minister—as well as recreation and conservation. Former mines minister Frank Richter (SC—Boundary-Simikameen) will be responsible for mines and petroleum resources.

Freshman Victoria MLA Newell Morrison will cover both finance and travel industry. He is also caucus chairman. Langley MLA Bob McClelland will speak on matters affecting the provincial secretary's department and health services and hospital insurance.

Harvey Schroeder (SC—Chilliwack) will handle education while former minister without portfolio Pat Jordan (SC—North Okanagan) will deal with industrial development, trade and commerce as well as rehabilitation and social improvement.

Don Phillips (SC—South Peace River) is responsible for agriculture and highways and Ed Smith (SC—North Peace River) covers the attorney-general's department along with lands, forests and water resources.

Public works, municipal affairs and commercial transport all go to Alex Fraser, veteran MLA from Cariboo.

Leading off for the Socreds in the throne speech debate will be Smith, while Morrison will lead off in the budget speech debate.

World College Site Firm, Construction to Begin

Purchase of a 74-acre site at Pedder Bay for the United World Colleges School of the Pacific has been completed, the local chairman for the project said today.

Construction of college buildings will begin this summer, said Bertram Butler, so-

the school can open in September 1974.

Purchase price for the department of national defence land on Mary Hill, about 15 miles from Victoria, was not disclosed, and it was paid for by an anonymous donor.

Dennis Young, executive

director of the Capital Regional District, said because the proposed college will be within the district the CRD board has asked the UWC representatives to meet with the board to discuss land-use of the site.

"We have been planning a meeting with Mr. Butler and his associates and assume it will be taking place fairly soon," he said.

He said the CRD was "most sympathetic to the proposal."

"It was just a matter of working out the legal questions," Butler, a retired diplomat, said.

The national committee of United World Colleges has been negotiating the sale with the Crown Assets Disposal Corporation since mid-1972.

Next big hurdle, he said, will be raising money for building costs through a national campaign. Target set last fall was \$5 million, but Butler said the school could get going with half that amount.

Vancouver architect Ron Thom has designed the college buildings, which will be

low, with overhanging eaves and constructed chiefly of wood and glass.

"We're all agreed that it must be something that conforms to the setting," Butler said.

The first United World College, which opened in 1962, is housed in the 13th century St. Donat's Castle in the south of Wales. The second one opened last year in Singapore in a former school donated by the Singapore government.

Ideal student enrolment for the new school will be 300 boys and girls in their last two years of high school, said Butler.

"The hope is that it will be all scholarship students," he said. "The school is supposed to cut across all social classes and ethnic classes."

No final decision has been made on whether the school will be made a memorial to Lester B. Pearson, Butler said. Pearson's family has supported the idea, Pearson was honorary chairman of the national committee of the United World College.

Shut Schools Legal: Bunn

Closure of Greater Victoria secondary schools is "completely legal," school board chairman Peter Bunn said today.

He was replying to Alex Markides, staff representative for the Canadian Union of Public Employees, who said authority to close schools rests with the education department and health boards.

"The whole thing is just too childish for words," said Bunn.

He said district superintendent A. J. Longmore is in "day to day contact" with education department officials and Education Minister Eileen Daily and they know what is taking place.

All senior high schools except one have been closed since a strike by 268 maintenance workers began 12 days ago. Junior high schools have also been closed, except briefly for students to receive assignments.

The striking union, meanwhile, is sending a pamphlet to 1,000 prominent businessmen, politicians, school trustees and service club leaders dealing with the wage issue.

Part of the pamphlet says that school district tradesmen are seeing their wages fall behind those in the construction industry, from \$1.64 an hour behind construction laborers to \$2.66 behind construction electricians.

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OFF THE FORCE after a brief but distinguished police career as a dope sniffer, Rusty the Labrador ponders the injustice of it all. He was fired by London police when he lost his acute sense of smell. He was used as a crime-stopper at Heathrow Airport.

Recreation Plea Draws Many Calls

The switchboard at Oak Bay's municipal hall has been jumping since Monday night when council announced it wanted to know whether residents favor a referendum on a recreation centre.

Municipal officials said today they had been swamped with calls, for and against the referendum. They asked that residents send their comments in writing to the mayor and council.

One spokesman said, "There have been so many calls and it will be difficult, if not impossible, to relay all their thoughts to the mayor and council. All we can note is those for and against."

Council agreed Monday to apply for a \$767,000 loan under the federal government's winter casual projects fund to help build the centre.

The loan would be coupled with a federal grant of \$500,000 under the winter works program and another \$333,000 from the provincial fund, which allows a third of the costs for sports facilities up to \$1 million.

The council said Monday they wanted to know if taxpayers wished a referendum to be held.

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Welcomed by the World

President Nixon has at last succeeded in taking a firm step out of the Asian quicksand against which military commanders traditionally warned the United States, and is dragging his nation with him. Last night's announcement that a cease-fire will come into effect next Saturday heralds the end of the 12-year war which was never declared, which took a toll of tens of thousands of lives, physically destroyed much of two countries, and created a political and military morass from which at times it seemed that the United States would never become extricated.

The conflict, apart from the battle scene, dangerously split the United States, wrecked the career of one president and saddled another with accusations that may haunt him for life, and had untold effects on United States prestige, on international relations around the globe and on world security.

Along with the peace will come a change in United States world policy as announced in Mr. Nixon's inaugural address — a withdrawal from global policing and from aid to countries which do not aid themselves, and a general review by the United States of its position in a world in which the interna-

tional balances have drastically changed while American strength, both military and economic, was enmeshed and sapped in the jungles of Southeast Asia.

There are young folk of voting age in the United States who can hardly remember when there was not a Vietnam war. Thousands of young folk in Vietnam never lived to reach voting age. But the world that now unfolds for the survivors of both lands is a more hopeful one. If finds the government of the United States relatively free of the obsessions about world Communism that plagued it, and ready to make progress with both China and the Soviet Union.

Certainly the overwhelming urge of the United States — both among those citizens who have been pleading for peace in Vietnam and those who championed the cause of war until American objectives (whatever they really were) had been achieved — will be to avoid future entanglements of a military nature. This was the first war of which individual rejection was patriotic. Mr. Nixon's announced policy of calculated detachment should receive almost unanimous domestic support.

Along with the new opportuni-

ties to negotiate disarmament and further peaceful associations with the other international giants which should now unfold, there no doubt will be opportunities for a whole new attack on the domestic problems of race, poverty, education, crime, drugs and other ills which now threaten to wreck the country. If getting into the Vietnam struggle was one of the worst things that ever happened to the United States, getting out of it could prove to be one of the best. It could well be America's last great war.

And Mr. Nixon, who for so long has been damned from almost every angle for his alternating policies and actions, will emerge in history as the president who personally brought the conflict to a successful close. Even history may forget the price.

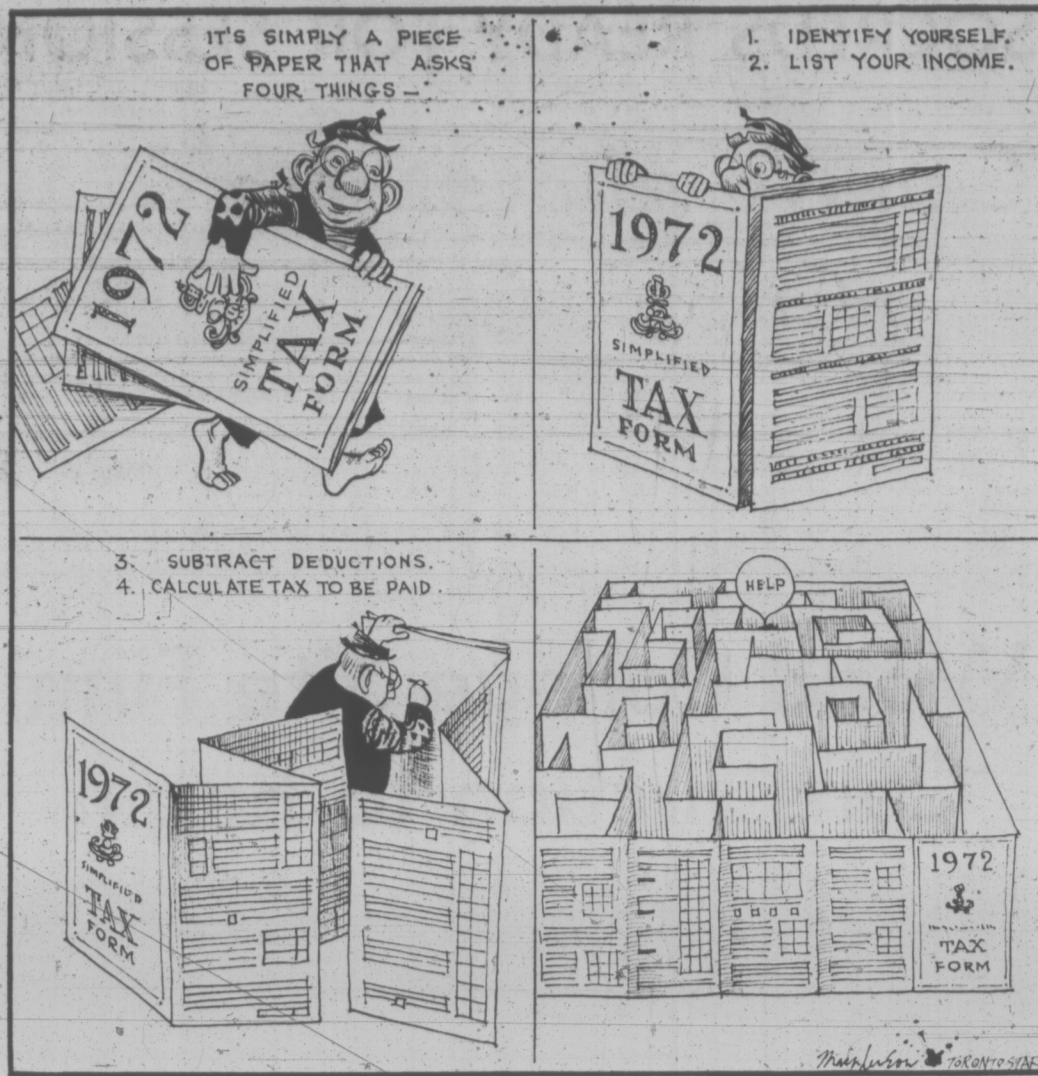
Child Mind

What happens now that the Consumer Association of Canada has reported finding 123 instances of objectionable TV advertising directed at children last month?

Is the mere disclosure considered enough, or are there sharp teeth in existing regulations to put an end to this pernicious practice? No doubt arguments could be presented by some of the sponsors challenging the association's definition of "objectionable," but anyone viewing TV programs geared to children cannot escape the feeling that improper efforts are being made to stimulate young demand.

The practice is all the more regrettable when revelations indicate that 111 of the cases involved toys. Children, with little ability to exert critical judgment — at least until they become owners of playthings which do not live up to the claims of television advertising — deserve better protection than the association indicates they are receiving.

Here, surely, is misuse of what could be, and often is, one of the most influential of all educational media. How does it happen that the consumers' body can find such a large number of commercials to which to take exception in the short space of a month?



LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Comparison

While Canada flounders in a morass of unemployment and inflation, Taiwan's economy continues to expand. Current figures reveal Taiwan's gross national product to be up 11 per cent over 1971. Agricultural production increased 5 per cent.

Industrial growth increased by an average of 26.2 per cent. Inflation? Consumer price indexes increased only 4.9 per cent. Canada's consumer price index rose by 5.1 per cent in 1972 with food prices up by 8.6 per cent.

Additionally, Taiwan was able to reduce rural taxes, lower the price of farm implements, improve marketing practices and the farm credit system.

Could be that Prime Minister Trudeau "recognized" the wrong China? After all, we might yet have to apply to Taiwan for "foreign aid" and a shipment of free rice! — Patricia Young, 1030 Newton Ave.

Oil Prices

Dr. Sutherland is barking up the wrong tree when he blames "foreign control" for high oil and gas prices. He says stove oil has increased 30 per cent in price since 1964. In that same period, federal and provincial expenditures have gone up something like 160 per cent. There are the villains. On every gallon of gas you buy, about 25c goes in royalties and direct taxation. The oil company's profit is about one cent per gallon.

Anyone who wishes can share in the "greed" of the "foreign controlled" oil companies by buying their shares any day, on the stock exchanges. If he is content with about one per cent return on his money he can buy Imperial Oil at about \$48 a share.

It should be observed that royalties and special taxes on raw materials bear most heavily on the poor, and are a quick road to ruin, except under very special conditions. If the basic raw material for instance costs \$1 and a 10 cent royalty or tax is added, and if the final product after several stages of manufacture is sold at six times the basic price, its cost will be \$6 without tax and \$6.60 with tax. The Government gets its 10 cents on the basic price but the ultimate consumer pays 60 cents more.

There is also the depressant effect of raw material taxation. There is in B.C. about 2 or 3 billion tons of copper-bearing material grading 0.5 per cent copper or less, on which with copper at about 56 cents a lb. perhaps one dollar a ton profit could be made. If the province were to put a \$1 royalty on copper ore, the mining companies' profit would vanish, mining cease and the potential ore return to the status of worthless rock. Nor is there any point in hoarding it for a problematical future. One hundred years ago, no one would look at any copper body unless it graded six per cent or better. Thirty years ago 1 per cent was the limit; today about 0.4 per cent. Perhaps eventually 0.1 per cent bodies will become economic, in which case reserves of ore would be astronomical. — J. P. Thornton, 943 Wilmer St.

Scott Rock

Re Jack Scott's "A Sour Musical Sound, but the Beat Goes On" that appeared in your paper on January 15: Mr. Scott started off by saying that rock and roll "is by any standard you care to name, generally lousy." This is obviously an incorrect statement since the standards are his, and not necessarily everyone else's. He then goes on to make many slanderous remarks about rock, culminating in the statement that "there is a striving... for a banal, barbaric ef-

fect which leaves little room for humor or sentiment."

Mr. Scott shows here how seldom he listens to contemporary music, for if he did he would realize how inaccurate a statement that is. Take for example the song "Pieces of April" by Three Dog Night which is in the current Top 10.

The age of hard rock has been over for a few years now, and if Mr. Scott would listen I think he would find that most of today's songs are not so bad after all. And if Mr. Scott still finds that rock is not to his taste, let us hope that he will at least be big enough to live and let live. — "One of the tiny, delicious minds of the rock audience."

Too Many Animals

After reading an article to ban the keeping of unsprayed female animals as proposed by Alderman Ove Witt, I should like to make the following comments.

A more realistic approach to the matter would be to castrate or spay all animals that are found on the loose.



Explosion

Since there are more male animals on the loose than females, they should be more subject to the operation which is far less complicated and cheaper.

The only reason there is an animal population explosion is the lack of responsibility on the part of the owners. I should like to see all but breeding stock spayed or castrated and perhaps, with the exception of cats, have a law confining animals to the owners' property.

This would reduce road casualties, the spoiling of lawns and sidewalks by droppings and reduce the number of unwanted pups, kittens and rabbits, etc. I feel sure the general public would welcome such proposals. (Mrs.) P. E. Baumgartner, 564 Arcadia Rd., Richmond, B.C.

Lack a Medium

Recently in your "Ask the Times" column, the Psychic Society was mentioned. While we greatly appreciate the acknowledgement of our society, we feel that we must inform you and the public of its purpose.

We are a scientific group, carrying out experiments in ESP, hypnosis and mediumship development as well as the investigation of haunted houses. We also operate Canada's Prophecy Bank.

Unfortunately we have been unable to find a local medium who is willing to submit to the extensive testing we feel is necessary. Therefore we cannot recommend any one medium to the people who have contacted us as a result of your

column. — Betty Froehler, Vice-President, Vancouver Island Society for Psychical Research.

No Action

The new Parliament in Ottawa, composed of two large and two small political parties assembled early this year to deal with problems of great importance to us all.

But nearly two weeks have elapsed since January 4 and little or nothing has been accomplished by some 260 MPs.

The leadership of one large political party must be held responsible for this, because it has spent its energies, and the time of all members in formulating votes of no-confidence.

This negative attitude at a time of admitted crisis will be remembered by voters at the next election, and I predict the so-called "Progressive" (C) party will get many less than 107 elected members at that time.

Positive action please, and soon, for all taxpayers across the land. — Wamba.

Good Approach

It was a pleasure to see the C.I.L. exhibition at the McPherson Theatre, which outlined possible projects for the development of Laurel Point.

Although it had its pros and cons, the citizens of Victoria should commend the company for their approach which demonstrated acceptance of their social responsibility. Perhaps city hall should keep this in mind when competitors who may be interested only in the economic benefits present their stories. — Lorne Germa, 1455 Gladstone.

Peace

It is heartening to read as a recent prominent news item that a Member of Parliament in Ottawa has voiced to the nation his firm declaration for peace.

Congratulations to Ian Arrol (PC-York East) for his courage in a high ideal which more should emulate if we hope for sanity in the world. — Richard Moyer, Mollie Moyer, 1020 Mina Ave.

Symbolism

In earlier days when St. Joseph's Hospital certainly did not countenance the nefarious practice of abortion, the most sacred symbol of the Crucifixion was fitting to surmount the building.

Now that the premises are styled Victoria General Hospital, and surgery is no longer so circumscribed, do you not think that the Cross is no longer appropriate on such a building and should be removed? — The Rev. Thaddeus E. Kaye (ret'd), 1701 Cedar Hill X Rd.

60 YEARS AGO

From The Times of Jan. 24, 1913:

Edmonton: Kid Sealer, the Spokane boxer, was given the decision over Dick Hyland in 15 rounds last night. Hyland replaced Joe Bayley, the champion, who was compelled to cancel his engagement with Sealer for the time being owing to a badly injured left hand. In view of his showing last night, Sealer is now right in line for a bout with the champion and a match between them in the near future is almost certain.

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The Tide of Opinion Is Rising

While high priority has been given in Parliament to the debate on capital punishment, reports from the United States indicate that "more than 30 states" are active in a drive to make the death penalty mandatory for certain crimes. In both Ohio and Florida bills calling for mandatory execution for certain offences have become law. California voters passed a referendum last November to reinstate the death penalty, and other states have bills in the drafting stage.

What qualified legislative bodies do in the United States is American business, of course. The sentiment that moves the Americans, however, can be expected to spill over into Canada in the natural flow of news and opinion across

the border. The major element influencing the trend in the U.S. — "cold-blooded premeditated crimes," plus terrorist activities in different parts of the world — will most probably create a comparable reaction among many Canadians.

On the face of it, such a development would reflect an attitude growing from public anger. It is impossible, of course, to divorce all phases of debate from emotional considerations. But when Canadian parliamentarians review the five-year death penalty suspension, it is to be hoped that due note will be taken of the deficiencies involved in decisions reached in anger. The capital punishment issue is too important to permit distortion through extreme emotionalism.

JAMES RESTON

'And Then to Coast Downhill'

WASHINGTON — President Nixon has returned to Washington and is into his second term, but instead of finding a spirit of rejoicing over the spectacular victory and elation over the impending cease-fire in Vietnam he finds many of his old supporters in a perplexed and critical mood over his recent conduct.

Here was Vermont Royster of The Wall Street Journal wondering gently why Nixon had been so remote and silent lately, especially since he had demonstrated his mastery over the Presidential news conference. (He hasn't had a formal news conference since Oct. 5, a National Security Council meeting since last May or a Cabinet meeting in two months).

James J. Kilpatrick, the conservative columnist of The Washington Star-News, was not so gentle: "In the past two months he (Mr. Nixon) has become more remote and withdrawn than ever... everything is sliding downhill. All the buoyant optimism of November now has washed away... Nixon, beginning term two, has made an unhappy start."

Frustration

James Burnham, writing in the current issue of the conservative weekly, National Review, speaks of "the ruler's sense of frustration — the same frustration that engulfed his predecessor." He adds:

"Secretive, enigmatic, indirect, revolving more and more closely around the person of the ruler: palace intrigues within intrigues; periods of seeming stasis interrupted by furious outbursts of energy; the great lords with independent titles banished from court in favor of the ruler's bound liegemen; decisions taken in seclusion, and put into effect without explanation of premises or aims; even Henry Kissinger as a mod Rasputin..."

Well none of this would have been surprising coming from the President's critics in other papers when Royster, Kilpatrick and Burnham write as above. It is clear that Nixon has lost something

between the election and the inauguration.

The most impudent explanation of his recent unexplained area bombing of North Vietnam comes from his White House staff: The President was given a "mandate" in the election to carry on the war and the peace as he pleased, and besides, Harry Truman didn't consult anybody when he dropped those atom bombs on Japan!

The most charitable explanation is that he was, as he said himself, "emotionally drained" after the election, physically tired, and personally angry at the



PRESIDENT NIXON
... something sad

haggling in Paris over the peace terms — and ordered the bombing without the usual consultation even with his own staff while he was in one of these periods of gloomy frustration.

He explained his decision to make major changes in his Administration by saying that he was afraid his first term "players" would go stale. There was always, he said, a tendency for an Ad-

ministration "to run out of steam after the first four years and then to coast, and usually coast downhill..."

"I believe in the battle," Nixon said, "whether it's the battle of the campaign or the battle of this office, which is a continuing battle. It's always there wherever you go. I, perhaps, carry it more than others because that's my way."

You can read this any way you please, and the amateur and professional psychiatrists have been having a field day with the question ever since the President disappeared and started tossing the bombs around. Either he was tired or stale himself, as he feared his players would be, or he was determined to show everybody that he was going to be the boss, an active tough guy who would tolerate no nonsense or advice from anybody, including Henry Kissinger.

Evading Opposition?

One other possible notion here is that he did not go through the normal process of consultation with the Joint Chiefs, the Security Council and his staff precisely because he did not want to listen to the opposition to this cruel bombing he knew he would get.

That is probably the most troubling suggestion of the lot, for one of the reasons Presidents tend to go "downhill" in their second term is not merely that they get tired or go stale, but they begin to resent opposition within their own official family and surround themselves with men who will merely carry out orders.

Nevertheless, there was something sad in the President's return to a capital he seems to be trying to avoid more and more. Surrounded by his family and followers, and by the big hands he assures us are coming back, one would have expected him, for once, to kick up his heels and have a little fun.

But fun was the first casualty of Vietnam, and even when it was just about over the town seemed to be having a hangover even before it had its celebration.

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viewpoint

Can We Allow Them To Cripple Gov't?

British Columbians are waiting to see whether their New Democratic Party government will give provincial civil servants the right to strike.

By every known poll or questionnaire, most citizens oppose strikes as such and particularly those in public service. The NDP does not. Premier Dave Barrett's government has been drafting legislation for the legislative session opening Thursday.

Its political principles on the issue have been fortified by a special commission of inquiry which recommended this month the extension of full collective bargaining rights to the 31,000 provincial employees including the right to strike or resort to binding arbitration if bargaining breaks down.

The public, in our view, would support collective bargaining and binding arbitration but would not tolerate the granting to any organized self-interest group of the power to shut down the operation of democratic government. Yet that could be the

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effect of the inquiry commission's findings.

The federal government gave such rights to its employees in 1967 but probably would not repeat the mistake if it had the choice to make again. In practice, the arrangement enables those unions with the greatest capacity to injure the public interest to do so, while those with less clout choose the path of arbitration.

In a recent essay, Arnold Toynbee, the British historian and philosopher, mentioned such tactics to illustrate his thesis that "civilization is manifestly beating a retreat."

"In so-called peace-time," he wrote, "the parties to quarrels are trying to use pressure on their opponents by tormenting third parties against whom they have no grievance. Foreign diplomats are kidnapped and sometimes

murdered; planes are hijacked; supplies of coal, gas, electricity, transport and other necessities of life are cut off by workers with the object of coercing the public into begging private employers and governments to concede contentious wage-claims."

It should be said that a great many of the B.C. government's employees don't want anything to do with the strike weapon. Even the brief submitted to the inquiry commission by the B.C. Government Employees Union proposed that authorized strikes be delayed for seven days to allow consultation on "the means to maintain operations and services that are essential for the well-being and security of the public."

The stickler there, however, is that the unions would presumably make their own definitions of "well-being" and decide how wide or narrow the "means" of protection might be. Little encouragement to expect an unfailing liberality of interpretation is offered by the current specta-



BARRETT

... test of independence

cle of 296 janitors closing the schools of Victoria to 11,000 children.

Premier Barrett has often said that he and his government will not rubber-stamp the policies of the B.C. Federation of Labor. He claims that all of his options are open. "Labor's problems are theirs," he said, "the party's problems are ours. That's how it should be and that's how it's going to be."

When the new premier took office last September he said that "I want to tell everybody in this province that we wish them all well without fear or favor."

A test of his independence may well be the measure of public protection that is written into his collective bargaining legislation in the public sphere.

India Colleges in Turmoil

By WALTER SCHWARZ
London Observer

NEW DELHI — "What could I do? There is mob rule here and I want to live." The principal of Agra College was explaining why he had suspended a lecturer for no better reason than that rioting students wanted him to.

After a demonstration at which he was beaten up, the principal had given everyone 5 per cent "grace marks" in the annual examination, to celebrate India's 25th anniversary of independence.

His helplessness is no exception. Violence is tearing India's university system apart. Universities frequently remain closed for weeks, sometimes months, during term time. A vice-chancellor in Calcutta has been killed. So was the principal of a college in Bihar when he tried to stop mass copying in an examination.

From the almost daily accounts in newspapers of riots and demonstrations, students' grievances are hard to fathom. Most riots originate from earlier riots, in protest against police brutality, or against the arrest of student leaders.

Original grievances often sound trivial. Inadequate bus services in Delhi led to a spate of bus hijacking and bus burning — which hardly improved the service. One hijacked bus backed into a



In neighboring Bangladesh, students demand free education and books

horse-drawn buggy, killing a woman passenger and the horse.

In the Punjab, student riots started with a demonstration over an increase in cinema admission charges. In the end the police opened fire, killing several students. By the time the riots died down the original cause seemed forgotten.

"The basic trouble is we're getting a type of student who in the old days wouldn't even have gone to school," said a senior cabinet minister. "That's a good thing for society, but for the moment there's a disorientation of values."

A member of the University Grants Commission — the highest university body

said after a survey that the trouble was the "decline of established values." This explanation is taken up by critics of the government and of the establishment, who identify their own grievances with the students' complaints.

"It is a tough society and a corrupt one," a student leader in Delhi told me. "People have learnt that the only way to get what they want is through pressure and violence." As often as not, student violence pays off.

In the Western countries students revolt because they want to change society, or at least opt out of it. In India it is the opposite. Students are desperate to get into an establishment which is not big enough to hold them.

Delhi University had been closed for three weeks after riots when the proctor, Professor Jit Singh Uberoi, offered this analysis: "What's happening isn't a revolt. It's a rush. It's a rush to get into college, because higher education is regarded as a fundamental human right. If they can't get in, or if they fail after their first year, they genuinely believe their rights have been infringed. So you get mass copying in examinations and demonstrations when too many have failed. When they do graduate they feel entitled to walk into a white-collar job. But they know there isn't one and this adds to their fury."

India's economy expands at less than 5 per cent a year while the student population now three million — grows at 13 per cent a year. By 1985, at this rate, there will be

twice as many students as white-collar jobs.

The experts have long agreed that India's arts-oriented education system is unsuited to the economy. But the rush for white-collar jobs, and for degrees as a passport to the jobs, cannot be turned off by decree. The pressure is exploited by politicians. Student leaders are star recruits for the youth wings of political parties. The parties provide vans and buses for demonstrations.

Every year new colleges are hastily opened in response to demonstrations — sometimes at only a few weeks' notice. Lecturers are hastily hired; there are no libraries. And when students fail the first year's exam, it is often more than the principal's life is worth to stop them from passing on to the next year.

Degree standards, already much lower than they were 25 years ago, are inevitably falling. Since the fundamental problem lies in people's attitudes there is no easy solution. Delhi has opened a vocation college which offers white-collar skills, like publishing, tourism and insurance, in addition to an arts degree. "We had to offer the arts degree to make it palatable," said the principal.

Indian planners have lately given more attention to the alleviation of poverty. But nobody seems to have a solution to the ever-growing rush for degrees — and for the non-existent jobs that are expected to go with them. The revolt of educated youth, inside and outside the universities, is becoming India's most explosive problem.

A WEEKEND OF SNAFUS AND SINATRA

And They Called It a People's Inauguration

This year's inauguration was billed as the "people's" inauguration, a series of festivities for all Americans, a joining together of the citizens of the country to celebrate, a party with something for everyone.

Everyone who had connections. Everyone who had tickets. Everyone who had a limousine, everyone who had money and everyone who had, above all, credentials.

One inaugural official whose chest was emblazoned with badges, tags, buttons and insignia said, "I haven't seen anything like this since I played Captain Midnight as a child and wouldn't let anyone in my treehouse."

A hostess at the vice-president's reception Thursday, asked how she was chosen, chirped matter-of-factly, "connections."

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The inaugural officials referred to the inaugural events as "semi-public." The secret service agents referred to them as "private."

But regardless of whether the inauguration was public, semi-public or private, it was a commercial venture. Everyone was charged for everything and often not getting what they paid for.

They rarely have at other inaugural celebrations. As usual, concerts cost money, receptions were not cheap, dinners were expensive. The balls themselves cost up to \$1,000 for the box holders. The decision had been made by J. Willard Marriott, inaugural chairman, to hold the functions in public or semi-public buildings rather than hotels to cut costs.

Last-minute decisions to sell drinks at the receptions were scotched only because of the lack of liquor licenses and at the balls six drinks were \$9 even for boxholders.

One of the problems was "freebies." Every high administration official was im-

pounding blocks of over 1,000 tickets for all events to give away to VIPs and at the last minute had to "paper" the seats when they found they hadn't been able to give them all away.

The inaugural weekend was planned as an essay in efficiency. And as far as the president's schedule was concerned, it was. He sailed through the city from event to event, through traffic jams as

SINATRA
... flying high

though there weren't a car in the streets, his inaugural address started only one minute late, the floats in the parade ran on time and his visits to the five inaugural balls were logistically near-perfect, including his dancing time on the floor.

But for many other officials and revelers the weekend was a nightmare of snafus — as it has been at most inaugurations.

Friday night was when things really began to happen. The first event was "A Salute to America's Heritage" at the Corcoran Gallery of Art. It would have been a terrific party for 1,500 but the 12,000 who came slowed things down

By SALLY QUINN
The Washington Post

a little. Also there were a few mishaps. The secret service forgot the list of employees' names and they couldn't get in. The police reneged on their promise to let the diplomats out the front door because of traffic and they fumed in the rain at the back door while their chauffeurs waited in their limousines in the front. None of the celebrities, (Zsa Zsa Gabor, Desi Arnaz, Ricardo Montalban, all the ethnics) showed up. And Henry Kissinger, according to an inaugural official, had to go upstairs to rest.

Pal of Agnew

There were other exciting events. Frank Sinatra, deciding not to disappoint an audience of bystanders at a party later in the evening in the lobby of the Fairfax Hotel, gave one of his renowned performances.

Sinatra was in town as a guest and friend of Vice-President Agnew's and had failed to show up as the much publicized emcee for the American Music Concert in the Kennedy Centre two hours earlier.

Agnew spends holidays and vacations with Sinatra at his Palm Springs estate and Sinatra is a frequent visitor to Washington.

Sinatra has a reputation for being difficult. He had agreed to emcee the American Music Concert Friday night with Sammy Davis Jr. as lead entertainer. Davis bowed out, citing "the flu" and Sinatra sent no explanation for his absence, leaving Hugh O'Brian (on crutches from a cartilage operation) to fill in.

Naturally those who had paid \$20 to \$500 a ticket were not pleased. (Hugh O'Brian said later that Sinatra had made an unexpected visit to the Salute to the States Concert.)

'C'mon Baby'

Sinatra was getting redder, he was walking faster and his voice was getting louder. He reached the lobby where about 30 bystanders were watching and shouted: "You're nothing but a two-dollar broad, you know that?" That's spelled — He spelled out a four letter expletive referring to a woman. "You do know what that means, don't you?" Sinatra was flushed; Barbara Marx was ashen. She tugged on his arm and whispered, "C'mon baby, c'mon pet."

But Sinatra would not be appeased, as he strode out of the hotel he repeated his colorful dialogue about a two-dollar broad. Then he reached in his pocket and produced two one-dollar bills. Shouting, "Here's two dollars baby. That's what you're used to," he stuffed them in Mrs. Cheshire's empty glass, turned and disappeared into his limousine.

"Well there goes the inauguration," sighed Nancy Ziegler.

Ron Ziegler saw only the first half of the Sinatra show and wouldn't comment. Agnew aide Peter Malatesta shook his head and looked at the floor.

Sinatra was not seen again Friday night or at any of Saturday's climactic festivities.

There were five inaugural balls Saturday night. Each one was hot, overcrowded (posing a fire hazard) and confusing. They were badly managed — it was difficult to check coats, hard to get drinks, nearly impossible to dance in the main ballroom, hopeless to get souvenirs and generally not very enjoyable, especially for the VIPs who had paid \$1,000 each for their boxes.

At the Museum of Natural

History California Gov. and Mrs. Ronald Reagan, industrialist Harvey Firestone and his wife, and ambassador and Mrs. Walter Annenberg left their boxes to greet the president, only to find them later filled with press and other guests standing on chairs to get a glimpse of the president. Sen. Barry M. Goldwater's box ended up being used as a first-aid station when a man who had had a heart attack was brought there to await medical aid.

This is the closest I'll ever get to the Black Hole of Cal-

cutta, said a bejeweled box holder as she climbed over a chair to see the president.

The president was hanging loose Saturday night. He was on a euphoric high, making jokes, using slang, picking attractive women to dance with and making a few wisecracks from time to time. He looked heavily made up.

When Les Brown put on his earphones with a cord attached to them, Nixon cracked, "What's that, your umbilical cord." Mrs. Nixon looked embarrassed but continued to smile.

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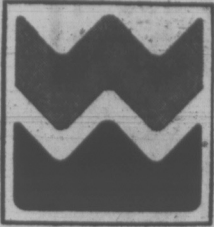
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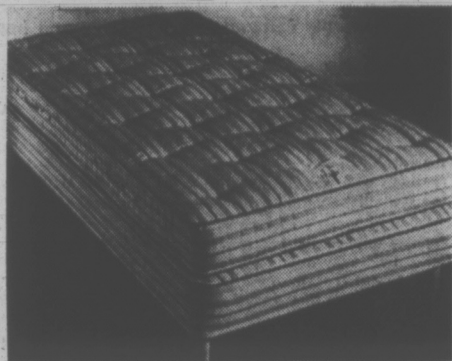


The president sought out attractive women on the dance floor

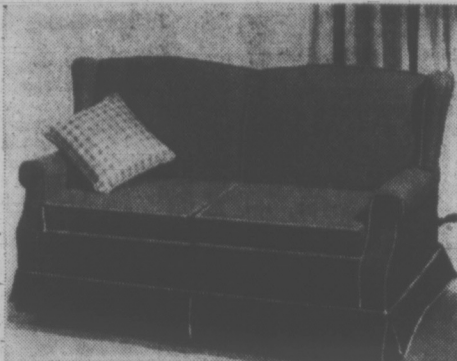


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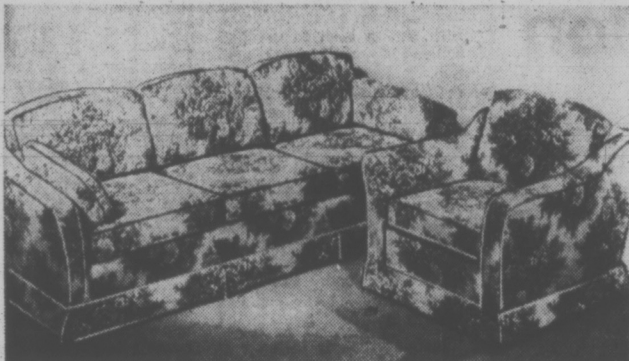
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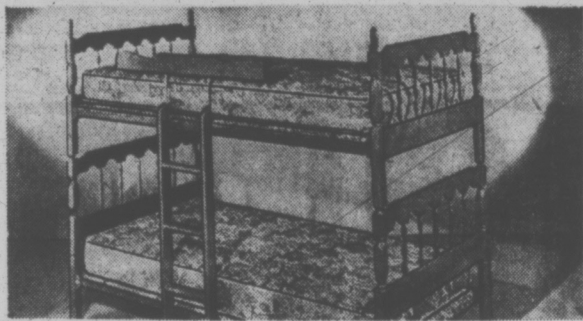
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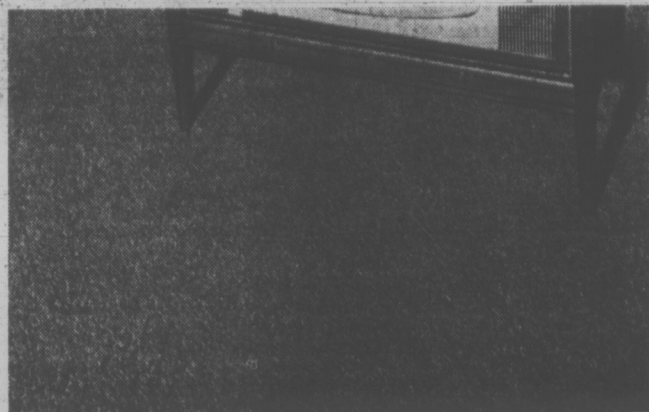


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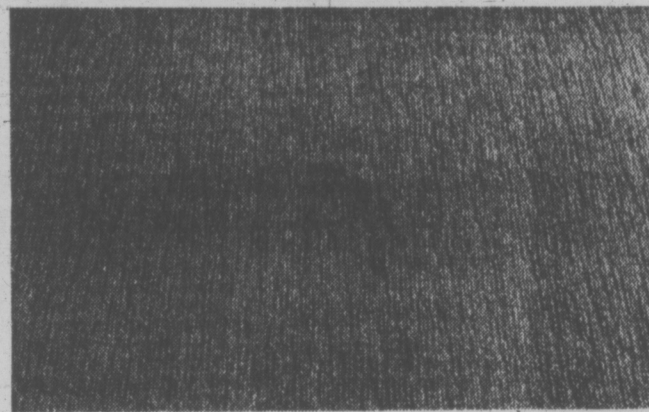
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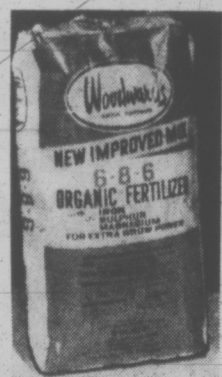


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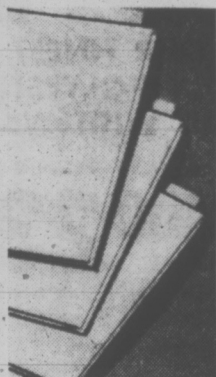


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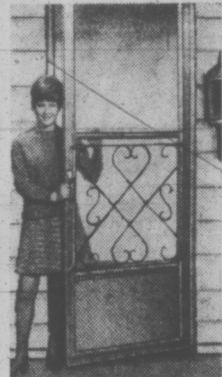
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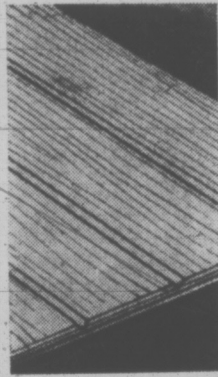
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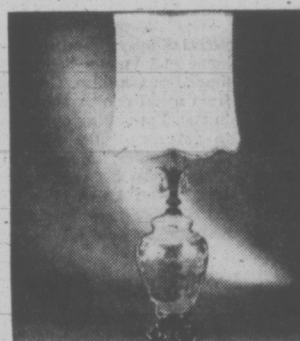
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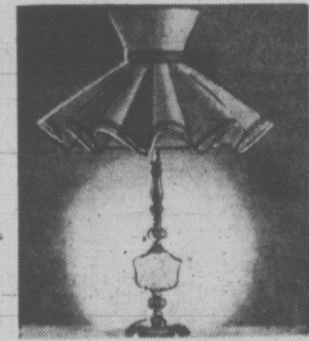
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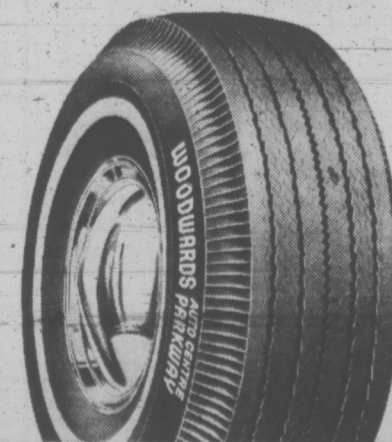
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8 wieners	1 tbsp grated onion
4 oz. long macaroni	¼ tsp salt
2 eggs, beaten	⅛ tsp paprika
½ cup milk, scalded	few grains cayenne
3 tbsp melted butter	¼ cup chopped green pepper
¼ cup grated cheese	

Slice 4 wieners into rounds. Cook macaroni according to package directions; drain well. Meanwhile, beat eggs and milk and butter; pour over macaroni in bowl. Add cheese, onion, salt, paprika and cayenne and mix well. Stir in cut meat and ¼ cup chopped green pepper. Pour into ungreased 1½ quart casserole and bake 1 hour at 350°F. Remove and on top arrange 4 split wieners in a spoke design with a slice of green pepper in the middle. Heat uncovered in oven for 5 minutes or until strips are heated through. Makes 4 or 5 servings.

VARIATIONS

Chicken Chuck Wagon: Omit wieners; stir in 1 to 1½ cups cut up cooked chicken or turkey.
Ham Chuck Wagon: Omit wieners; cut 8 strips, each 3½x1½x½ inch, from 1 pound cooked ham or 1 can (12 oz.) pork luncheon meat; cut remaining meat into cubes.
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By VICTOR MACRIE
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — Two elevators are now on the casualty list in the centre block of the parliament buildings.

One is on the senate side and the other on the Commons side of the building.

They are victims of the prolonged strike of elevator technicians now in its 22nd week. It is only a question of time if the strike continues — before other elevators in the Centre Block serving the poli-

ticians will start to break down and stop operating.

Senator Donald Cameron put a question to the government leader Senator Paul Martin in the upper house Tuesday. He asked what action the federal government plans to bring to an end the protracted strike which is affecting the parliamentarians and has brought the construction of several buildings in Ottawa as well as across the country to a halt.

"This disruption of service

has already cost hundreds of thousands of dollars plus untold inconvenience to elderly people," said Senator Cameron.

Senator Arthur Laing, former federal minister of public works, said the federal government has the trained men and equipment available to put the non-operating elevators in the centre block back into operation. However the public works department is reluctant to put its men to work repairing the elevators because of the strong reaction

from organized labor that might result.

There are seven elevators in the centre block, three on the senate side and four on the commons side not including a freight elevator at the rear of the building. One leads to the tunnel to the west block.

The large new buildings erected to house government departments cannot be occupied because of the elevator strike. One is the new defence headquarters high-rise building in downtown Ottawa.

Changes Made In Food Probe

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons finished processing and packaging an inquiry into food price increases Tuesday after four days of debate that saw three opposition amendments to the government motion.

The latest changes came in two New Democratic proposals accepted Tuesday by the minority Liberal government. One will require an interim report within two months from the special Commons committee to investigate food prices; the second will increase the number of MPs on the committee to 25 from 20.

Included will be 10 Liberals, 10 Conservatives, three New Democrats and two Social Crediters. Committee members will be chosen later this week.

The motion was finally passed without a recorded vote, but with clear indications of some opposition to proposals establishing the inquiry.

During earlier debate, the Liberals and New Democrats combined to turn down an amendment proposed by the

Conservatives and supported by Social Credit members to limit the inquiry to the years after 1967.

A similar committee examination was made then.

Results of the vote on the Conservative motion in the 264-member Commons was 139-115. Support for the two NDP amendments came from the Liberals and Social Crediters. The vote was 152-102 on the proposal to make an interim report, and 152-101 on the move to expand the committee.

Standing in the Commons is Liberals 109, Conservatives 167, New Democrats 31, Social Credit 15, Independents two. AVOID SECOND DEFEAT By joining with the NDP on all three votes, the Liberals managed to avoid a repeat of their defeat in the Commons last week when NDP and Conservatives combined to bar senators from the inquiry.

The Liberal-NDP unity in the three votes Tuesday prompted Conservative House Leader Gerald Baldwin to refer to the two parties as sweethearts.

LIP Fund Near End

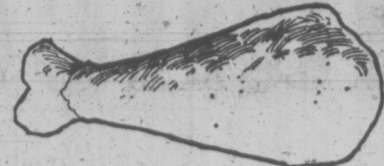
OTTAWA (CP) — Manpower Minister Robert Andros says his department has allocated \$148 million of the \$165 million Local Initiatives Program.

"We are very close to the end of allocations for this year," he told Henri Latulippe (SC-Compton) in the Commons Tuesday.

Latulippe asked why a "great number" of L.I.P. applications had not been approved, and said applicants were being left uninformed.

The minister replied that apart from the \$148 million already allocated, \$10 million is being held for "the special section" which deals with special applications.

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This Saturday In Weekend Magazine



The Great 16-Year Fleecing Of Canadian Taxpayers

One of the greatest frauds ever perpetrated on Canadian taxpayers was made possible by using fake birth certificates from a small Lebanese town. In Weekend Magazine this Saturday, Robert McKeown tells of the pension fraud that was discovered only by accident and cost the Canadian government over a million dollars.

Widow In The Wilderness

An excerpt from the book, The Silence of the North, on how Olive A. Fredrickson and her three children lived in the BC wilderness for a time after her trapper-husband died.

Buffalo's Fabulous Richard Martin

Weekend Sports Editor Andy O'Brien talks to the Sabres' star left winger whom Punch Imlach tabbed as "the greatest natural scorer I have ever coached."

Erindale's Birdman

92-year-old Roy Ivor has kept a home for birds on the western outskirts of Toronto for 47 years.

Sour Cream-Fruit Pie

It's one of Margo Oliver's exciting recipes using dried fruits. The others: Pineapple-Date Pie, Maid-of-Honor Pie, Macaroni-Topped Pie, California Raisin Pie, Caramel-Date Pie.

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BARGE SINKING 'NO HAZARD'

By IAIN HUNTER

OTTAWA — Public Works Minister Jean-Eudes Dube denied Monday any departmental responsibility for the sinking of three derelict barges in Okanagan Lake last November.

The minister stated in the House of Commons that the barges are neither a navigational nor health hazard.

He was asked by George Whittaker (PC—Okanagan-Boundary) if the government is taking any steps to remove the barges "in view of the immediate hazard to navigation and safety caused by the attempted disposal by the government."

Whittaker expressed concern that air-filled 45-gallon drums attached to the barges may break loose.

Dube replied that the barges don't belong to the government and that they were sunk where they would not present a danger to navigation.

"If there should be a danger to navigation, they will be removed. However, they are not contaminated," he said.

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PARTS DEPT. 383-1106

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SUVA, Fiji (Reuters) — Bus drivers here are threatening to refuse to work at weekends because of assault and abuse by drunken passengers.

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COFFEE 1 lb.	85¢
KELLOGG'S	
SPECIAL K CEREAL 7 oz.	39¢
PAMPERS DAYTIME	
DISPOSABLE DIAPERS 15's	99¢
KRAFT	
Macaroni Dinner 7 oz. 6 for	99¢
HERSEY'S	
Instant Chocolate 2 lbs.	79¢
SEVEN FARMS	
HONEY 2 lbs.	97¢
MAZOLA OIL 32 oz.	99¢
CAPRI WHITE	
TOILET TISSUE 8 rolls	79¢
CANADA GRADE A BEEF	
BLADE ROAST 1 lb.	99¢
RIB STEAKS 1 lb.	1.49
Breaded Pork Cutlets 1 lb.	89¢
NO. 1 LOCAL	
POTATOES 20 lbs.	1.29
CHUQUITA	
BANANAS 6 lbs.	1.00

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SATURDAY 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

CANADA SILVER DOLLARS

1935	\$ 6.00
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CANADA HALF DOLLARS

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CANADA QUARTERS

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CANADA TEN CENTS

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1870, 1874,	
1880, 1892,	
1893 and 1904	2.00
1871, 1881, 1886,	
1890 and 1891	3.00
1875	25.00
1872	15.00
1882 and 1888	1.50
1883	5.00
1884	18.00
1885 and, 1887	3.50
1889	75.00
1894, 1898	1.25
1899, 1907	.50
1908, 1909	
and 1915	.75
1910-1936	1.50
1937	.50
1948	1.25

Saanich Parkland Sell-Offs Denied

SAANICH EYES HIGHWAY LAND

A suggestion that Saanich has been selling off parkland was strongly denied by members of council and especially Mayor Hugh Curtis Tuesday at a joint meeting of parks and planning committee.

If parklands do require bolstering, "we don't need to peddle this misinformation to the public," said Curtis in one of his angriest utterances of the past year.

He decried a "holier than thou attitude" of some and said an old list of property sales cited by municipal planner Tom Loney was "blown out of all proportion by some members of our staff and of council."

The matter arose when the joint meeting considered a brief from the Saanich branch of the Association of Women Electors urging more permanent forms of protecting parkland.

Referring to a report from the planner detailing alternative methods of accomplishing this, which was delivered late last year, the association noted the desire to have some form of park within a mile or half a mile of each neighborhood.

In this light, projecting needs into the future, the AWE brief recommended Saanich should retain all its parkland.

Ald. Leslie Passmore noted the municipality had never disposed of any parkland unless it was desirable and in the best interests of the municipality or where park use would be unsuitable.

He cited some desirable exchanges for more suitable parkland, such as at Lambrick Park where the school district traded a parcel. He wanted to know where the dispositions had been.

Loney referred to a list "titled park lands which have been sold," prepared by a staff member. It included land on Oak across from Valley, two lots north of Playfair Park (1943), three lots at Glenford School site, three lots at the northwest corner of Maplewood and Talmie, five lots on Belgrave and three lots at Swan Lake.

Administrator John Tribe said the transactions were "ancient history" and mainly were lots acquired through tax land sales. Around the municipal hall (Swan Lake), he said, "I think we've acquired far more than we've sold."

The AWE had said preservation of parks by means of a bylaw was a "questionable form of reservation" and felt referral to the electors should be mandatory.

The mere zoning of parkland implied awareness of elected people and an ability to resist developers, the brief said.

The method of reservation, requiring assent of the cabinet and the power to refer to the electorate would be a preferable method, but this would still be relatively easy to un-reserve unless the act included the words, "parkland for all time" AWE said.

Dedication, the safest, most positive and permanent form of preservation was favored, but this too, should state, "in trust for parkland for all time," the brief declared.

Commenting on the alternatives, AWE noted "The uninformed elector is the chief ally of the unscrupulous developer."

Chairman Ald. Frank Waring felt the association should be commended on its presentation, but Tribe said, "I think the fears of the Association of Women Electors are somewhat unfounded."

Curtis said he took "the strongest exception to the in-

ference (of selling parkland). For a municipality that has spent hundreds of thousands of dollars on acquisition of parkland over the last 15 to 20 years, for us to be presented with a sorry, outdated list like this is unfair."

He said if there was a feeling for added protection for parks, this would be considered.

But he could not accept the implication that "Saanich has been selling acres and acres of parkland and not replacing it. We must start out by being honest with ourselves."

Acquisition of a triangular parcel of land owned by the provincial highways department on Swan Creek would help Saanich make a start on streambank improvements, council's planning committee was told Tuesday.

A \$10,000 estimate to launch the work as part of the Colquitz River waterway improvement program will not be adequate for an impressive beginning, planner Tom Loney indicated.

But an additional \$10,000 would permit sufficient work to be done to indicate to the public what is possible in that location.

The creek runs northwest from Swan Lake under Douglas Street and down a small valley where the municipality has been acquiring land out of

revenue and by means of local improvement projects worth some \$30,500.

Since it no longer seems necessary for proposed highway extension, the government's parcel ought to be considered for the waterway project, Loney said, recommending the department be approached.

A petition was received from about 36 residents of Rutledge Street who oppose the closing of their street at Cloverdale in connection with a neighborhood park project.

The committee instructed letters to be sent to each person explaining the benefits to be derived from the plan and offering to discuss it with them at a meeting.

"I think they have certain rights as residents of that

street and if they still oppose it we should consider them," Ald. Leslie Passmore said.

Action was delayed until the residents have spoken. Further study will be given

to a suggestion that illegal suites be faced with inspection to ensure their safety.

Loney wondered if licensing these extra dwellings in supposed single family resi-

dences implies the municipality's official blessing, and if all would have to be inspected. "Are you under obligation to get every one of them?" he asked.

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Dispersed by CP
Toronto Stock Exchange—Jan. 24

Complete tabulation of Wednesday's trading in the Toronto stock market. All figures are in dollars and cents unless otherwise indicated. All figures are based on the closing prices of the previous day.

Stock Sales High Low Close Change

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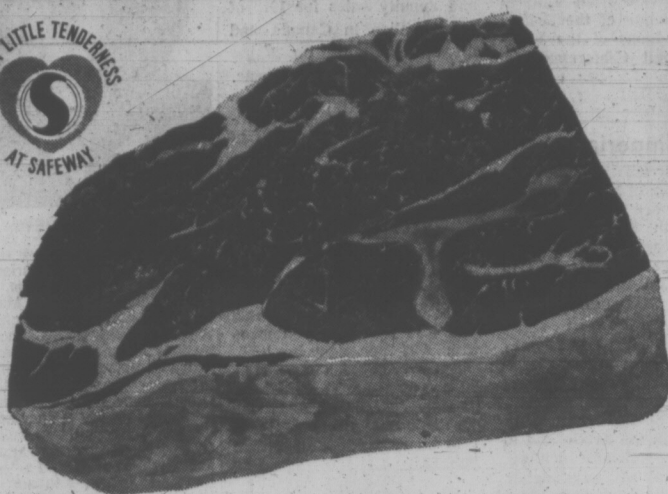
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Bask in a Marinade and Sprinkle
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Government Inspected. Canada Grade

A lb. 99^c



Plate Boiling Beef Piece Bacon

Bone in
Government
Inspected,
Canada Grade

A lb. 49^c

Side Bacon

Maple Leaf or Hint of
Maple Brands.
Sliced Bacon

**lb. 79^c
\$1.09**



Sliced Cooked Ham

Burns' Brand,
6-oz. package

79^c

European Smokies

Maple Leaf European Cuisine
10-oz. package

89^c

Sliced Luncheon Meats

Olympic, Mock Chicken, Macaroni and Cheese, Pickle and Pimento. 6-oz. pkg.

2 for 79^c

Skinless Wieners

Burns' Brand
1 lb. Vacuum Package

75^c

Smoked Black Cod

Frozen
Sable Chunks

lb. 99^c

Fresh

Pork Loin Roast

Cut from Top Quality, Grain-
Fed Porkers. Government
Inspected. Loin, End Cut

99^c

Country Style Spareribs

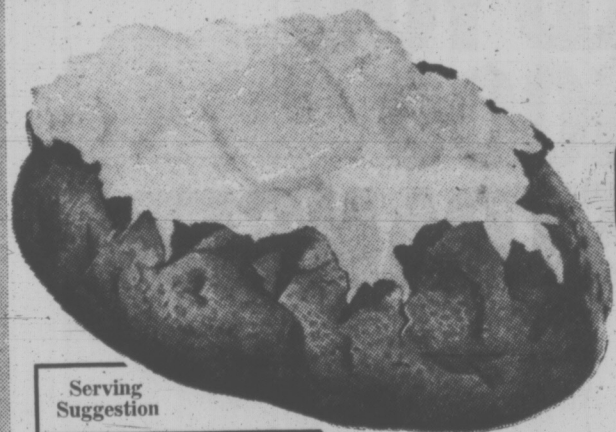
Cut from Government - Inspected
Grain-fed Porkers. Thick and meaty;
stuff and bake in the oven.

\$1.09

Pork Loin Chops

Fresh, Gov. Insp.
Centre Cut Rib

\$1.19



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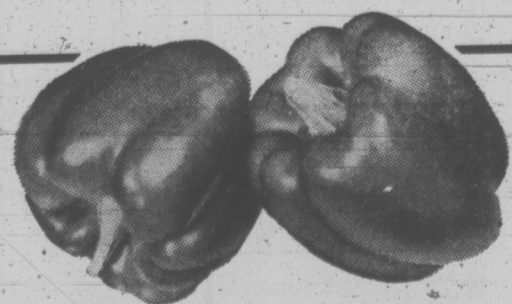
Canada No. 2 Grade

10-lb. 79^c
cello bag

Alberta Gem Potatoes

50-lb. \$3.39
Sack

15-lb. 99^c
cello bag



Green Peppers

Mexican or Texas. Crunchy
fresh mild-flavored. Serve
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Hubbard Squash

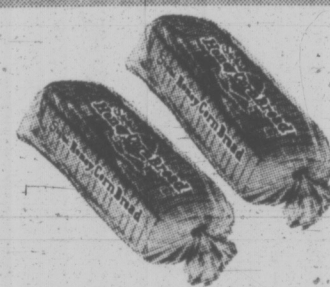
Washington Grown. Serve
baked with lots of butter

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Boxing: So Many, So Hard, So Quickly

George who?

That's right. If George Foreman, to coin a phrase, "never beat anybody" before in his fistic career, he handed Joe Frazier a fearsome beating in Jamaica Monday night.

I don't think I have ever seen anybody hit as hard, and as often, in such a short period of time since Bill Ezinicki caught Tony Schneider on the boards in a Western Hockey League game here some years ago.

It was totally implausible that a champion could be so badly beaten — until the replays; and those showed the awesome strength of the man called Foreman, now better known as the heavyweight champion of the world.

Certainly it was a shocker, Frazier was a badly beaten and confused fighter at the finish, and it's unlikely that he'll be back for some time, if ever.

Foreman actually handled Frazier like a bouncer would a loudmouth who had wandered into the place by mistake. He simply shoved Frazier away every time Frazier tried to move inside, much in the manner of "go away, you bother me." Then when Frazier persisted, Foreman hit him.

A Giant and His Plaything

They say Foreman is 6'3" and weighs 218 pounds. Frazier, Monday, was only about four pounds less. It didn't look like that on the big screen at the arena. Foreman appeared to tower over his man, looked like a small giant, and acted like a bigger one, toying with his foe.

There was one time in the second round when the referee warned Foreman to stop shoving, and fight. He needn't have bothered. It was Frazier he should have warned to stay away, or go home. It was that one-sided, Foreman actually lifting Frazier off his feet with one blow.

The story also is that Foreman was a reluctant convert to the fight game. He didn't even put on the gloves until 1966, and he didn't win his first fight until January of 1967. Now six years later, he has won his biggest. Some convert!

How he will do, when pushed, could be the most interesting part of this fight, it was suggested from Jamaica last week.

In other words, could he take a punch? I'm still not sure, and neither probably is anybody else. Sure Frazier got in a stiff left hook early in the first round, but that didn't bother Foreman much. He merely blinked, pushed Frazier away, and only then appeared to loosen up and get down to the business at hand.

Until then he had seemed nervous, stagestruck perhaps, and stiff and ponderous in his movements. But then, realizing that Frazier wasn't super-champ after all, he decided to have a look at the other side of the coin: Could Frazier take a punch?

Had Ali Done Damage Earlier?

He pushed Frazier away like a man would a small boy, clubbed him on the chin, and the fight, for all intent, was then over. To make sure, Foreman knocked the champ down six times in all before the referee mercifully called a halt to the proceedings. Frazier obviously was in another world, and if he had been hit again perhaps he would have suffered serious damage.

But then maybe he wasn't the same Frazier who fought and whipped Muhammad Ali. He spent much time in hospital after that fight two years ago, and Ali said at the time that Frazier had been hurt more than he cared to admit.

Since then, too, Frazier has fought only twice. He beat one Terry Daniels, in four rounds as a sidelight to the Super Bowl in New Orleans a year ago; and then he took on and demolished Ron Stander four months later.

You may recall Stander. His main claim to fame was that he could drink more beer in less time than any other fighter since Tony Galento.

So everybody wondered if Frazier had gone back? ... If he would be rusty after his layoff? ... If he was the same tireless slugger?

Today there's no doubt. He's only a shadow of the champ he was.

Because on Monday, and it had to be surprising, he never had a chance. And to coin a phrase in the vernacular of the sport: He got the can beat off him. Good!

BAKERS CLEAN UP AT AWARDS NIGHT

NEW WESTMINSTER—Victoria McDonalds, a new entry in the Pacific Junior Lacrosse League last season, captured a major share of the silverware at the annual awards banquet here Monday night.

Jim Lynch, centre on the all-star team and winner of the individual scoring race, was named rookie-of-the-year while Victoria clubmate John Hamilton, another all-star, was picked as the outstanding goaltender.

McDonalds also collected the Commissioner's Award as the best organized team in the league.

Walt Weaver of Surrey Salmonbellies received the Jake Frizell Trophy, a new award this year, as the top graduate player.

Another development announced at the meeting was the resignation of Keith McEachern as commissioner of the five-team league. He is expected to assume an executive post with Coquitlam Adanacs of the Western Lacrosse Association.

Wally Donaldson of Vancouver was named as McEachern's successor.

JUNIOR SUMMARIES

WESTERN DIVISION				
	P	W	L	T
Edmonton	42	25	17	5
New West.	44	24	13	7
Mtd. Hat	44	24	14	6
Calgary	43	19	14	10
VICTORIA	45	11	33	1
Vancouver	44	7	36	1
EASTERN DIVISION				
	P	W	L	T
Saskatoon	43	29	8	2
Flin Flon	43	26	11	6
Brandon	46	23	11	6
Regina	46	19	21	1
Swift Current	44	15	24	1
Winnipeg	46	9	30	1
NORTH DIVISION				
	P	W	L	T
Winnipeg	46	9	30	1
Brandon	46	23	11	6
Regina	46	19	21	1
Swift Current	44	15	24	1
Winnipeg	46	9	30	1

WINNIPEG (4) — Laurie Deprez, Blair Stewart, Dave Martin, Gary Doerksen. EDMONTON (6) — Fred Conrill, Wayne Perkins, Henry Taylor, Curtis Shokoples, Terry McDonald, Don Eastcott, Gary Roth, Terry Buck. Attendance 1374.

REGINA (5) — Bill Bell 2, Mike Wenzel 2, Rod Lovrichan. MEDICINE HAT (5) — Larry McDonald 2, Paul Granthoff, Brad Gassoff, Ed Johnston. Attendance 3654.

NEW WESTMINSTER (9) — Rod Bryuska 2, Ron Kennedy 2, Rod Fagerheim, Vic Mercedi, Dennis Andersen, Bob Stump, Ron Greischer. VANCOUVER (3) — John Dzus, Jerry Blanchette, Terry McDonald. Attendance 1066.

VICTORIA 2, SASKATOON 6.

FIRST PERIOD: Saskatoon (Pesch), Laine 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

SECOND PERIOD: Saskatoon (Pesch), Laine 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

THIRD PERIOD: Saskatoon (Pesch), Laine 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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Attendance: 1710.

Bombers In Black

WINNIPEG (CP) — Winnipeg Blue Bombers, with an entertaining, winning team, reported Tuesday night an estimated net operating profit of \$130,864 for the 1972 season.

Club treasurer Jack Ellis reported gross gate revenues of \$1,240,224, the largest in team history, up \$362,081 from 1971.

Sanderson Will Talk to Anyone

(TORONTO) (CP) — The Globe and Mail says Derek Sanderson, paid \$1 million last week to abandon Philadelphia Blazers and look elsewhere for employment, claims to be a free agent and willing to deal with anyone.

In a telephone interview from Hollywood, Fla., Sanderson denied his National Hockey League rights belonged to Boston Bruins, the team he jumped last summer to join the fledgling World Hockey Association Blazers.

"As of now I'm a free agent," Sanderson told the morning newspaper. "I want to return to the NHL where I belong."

The Globe and Mail says Sanderson is going on the status declared by his lawyer, Bob Woolf of Boston.

"The story's around that I'm Boston property," he is quoted as saying, "but that's not true."

"I'm available to the highest bidder in the NHL. Boston has first shot at my

loyalty and I've talked to Harry Sinden (Bruins' executive general manager), who coached me there. But I'll talk to anybody."

Sanderson was lured to the Blazers with a \$2.6 million dollar contract to be paid over a 10-year period. He played in only eight games, scoring three goals.

The controversial centre was sidelined early in the season with injuries and then denied the chance to play with Philadelphia by owner Bernie

Brown, who wanted to unload his astronomical contract.

One of the terms of his contract with Philadelphia was a job as scout for his father, Harold, of Niagara Falls, Ont., at an estimated \$25,000 a year.

Sanderson told The Globe that one of the terms of the settlement was that the \$25,000 would be paid to his father each of the next three seasons and "that beats working the block plant in Niagara Falls."



DEREK SANDERSON
... a free agent?



SQUEEZE PLAY: California Golden Seals' Bob Stewart (6) pins New York Islanders' Ed Westfall to ice while Westfall's team-mate, Bill Mik-

kelson, moves in to pick up loose puck during Tuesday night's NHL game at Long Island. Islanders blasted Seals 8-1. (AP Wirephoto)

Wandering Craig Appears At Home With Islanders

By The Canadian Press

Craig Cameron had been drafted and traded so often by National Hockey League clubs in the last five years no one could blame him for feeling a little unstable.

The 27-year-old winger may have found himself a niche in the major league Tuesday night by scoring three goals for New York Islanders in an 8-1 rout of California Golden Seals.

Elsewhere, veteran captain Alex Delvecchio scored his 450th career goal to help Detroit Red Wings salvage a 4-4 tie with Philadelphia Flyers while Minnesota North Stars continued unbeaten against Los Angeles Kings by rebounding from a 4-0 deficit for a 5-5 stalemate.

The Islanders have won just six games in 48 starts.

Cameron, originally a Detroit chattel, was traded to St. Louis in 1967, obtained by Pittsburgh in a 1969 trade, claimed by Los Angeles in 1970 and then taken from the Kings in the June draft by Buffalo Sabres, traded in October, 1970, to St. Louis, said the following October to Minnesota, then claimed by the Islanders in the 1972 expansion draft.

His three goals, which followed consecutively late in the second period and late in the game, gave him eight for the year.

Two other former Red Wings, obtained last week, got the Islanders moving. Bob Cook opened the scoring with the game only 24 seconds old and Ralph Stewart scored once and drew assists on three other goals.

The win for the Islanders, who surprised the Bruins 9-7 for their fifth win last week, left them with only 16 points.

They trail seventh-place Vancouver by 16 points in the East.

The Seals have just eight wins in 46 starts and their 27 points leaves them 15 behind seventh-place St. Louis in the West.

Delvecchio became only the seventh player in NHL history to reach the 450-goal plateau, preceded there by former teammate Gordie Howe (786), Bobby Hull (694), Maurice Richard (544), Jean Beliveau (507), Frank Mahovlich (488) and Norm Ullman (451).

Mahovich and Ullman are still active.

The Flyers needed Simon Nole's second goal of the

game and another by Bill Clement, both early in the third period, to pull even with the visiting Red Wings who fired 36 shots at goaltender Bob Taylor.

The game was delayed briefly several times in the second period by minor skirmishes that finally produced fighting majors at the 19:04 mark to Flyers' Rick MacLeish and rookie defenceman Ken Murray.

The Kings blew a four-goal margin at Minneapolis when Danny Grant's second goal of the game and 17th of the year proved the equalizer at 2:51 of the third period.

The tie extended Minnesota's record over the Kings to 15-0-1 since March 28, 1970, and goalie Cesare Maniago's personal mark to 14-0 in that same period.

HOCKEY TRAIL

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	P	W	L	T
Rochester 3	42	25	17	5
Boston 2	44	24	13	7
Jacksonville 4	43	19	14	10
IHL ALL-STAR				
	P	W	L	T
North 4	42	25	17	5
South 4	44	24	13	7
EASTERN LEAGUE				
	P	W	L	T
Long Island 4	42	25	17	5
Charlotte 5	44	24	13	7
Rhode Island 4	43	19	14	10
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL				
	P	W	L	T
Crabrook 4	42	25	17	5
Nelson 3	44	24	13	7
QUEBEC JUNIOR				
	P	W	L	T
Sorel 6	42	25	17	5
Quebec 9	44	24	13	7
ONTARIO JUNIOR				
	P	W	L	T
Sault Ste. Marie 6	42	25	17	5
Hamilton 4	44	24	13	7
SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR				
	P	W	L	T
Estevan 7	42	25	17	5
Regina Blues 1	44	24	13	7
ALBERTA JUNIOR				
	P	W	L	T
Red Deer 8	42	25	17	5
Drumheller 4	44	24	13	7
B.C. JUNIOR				
	P	W	L	T
Penticton 6	42	25	17	5
Kamloops 4	44	24	13	7

Hull City Wins

HULL, England (Reuter) — Extra-time goals by Ken Wagstaff and Ken Houghton enabled Second Division Hull City to beat Fourth Division Stockport County in their English Football Association Cup third round replay here Tuesday night.

When the road became blocked by mass pileups on the blizzard-swept Buzet Plateau Tuesday night, 145 cars were unable to get through and were declared out of the competition.

But the unhappy drivers went to a point near Digne and blocked the road where about 40 "official" survivors were to start the ninth speed test on the 1,653-kilometre (1,000-mile) run through twisting mountain roads.

When rally officials set up an alternate route, the disgruntled teams that had been eliminated blocked that one too.

At rally headquarters in Monte Carlo word spread that the last two special tests had been cancelled and that the cars would make their way back to Monte Carlo by any route they chose, with no time controls.

Among those eliminated during the night driving on the slippery roads was Sandro Munari, the 1971 winner, who went off the road with his Lancia Fulvia during the seventh special test. No one was injured but Munari was unable to continue.

The factory teams were among the first starters and got through before the road was blocked. The independents, with later starting times, were the ones who suffered.

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Rookies Jolt Cats

Times News Services
Rookie power produced most of the sting as Saskatoon Blades handed visiting Victoria Cougars a 6-2 Western Canada Hockey League loss Tuesday night.

All but one of the Saskatoon goals were scored by players serving their first season under coach Jackie MacLeod and goaltender Brian Holderness, another rookie, had a relatively easy time while blocking 17 Cougar shots.

Garth Dietrick led Blades, the Eastern Division leaders, with two goals and an assist. Danny Arndt, Ron Ashton and Pat Rooney, also rookies, added singles along with Byron Jackson, in his third season with Saskatoon.

Rick Lapointe and Carl Cusack scored for Cougars who dropped a sixth straight game and their fifth on a seven-game swing through the Prairies.

In other games, Edmonton Oil Kings hammered Winnipeg Jets 8-1, New Westminster Bruins dropped Vancouver Nats 9-3 and Medicine Hat Tigers fought to a 5-5 deadlock with Regina Pats.

Tigers also gained a one-point bonus when league executive secretary Tom Fisher ruled that Flin Flon Bombers have forfeited a point for using Doug Hicks, a player under suspension, during a game against Medicine Hat earlier this month. The teams tied 4-4 but now Tigers have both points.

In addition, Flin Flon coach Patty Ginnell was fined \$250 for using Hicks.

Irving Lends A Hand

Dale Irving assisted on all Fuller Lake goals Tuesday night as Flyers nipped Victoria Nixons 4-3 in one of two South Island Junior "B" Hockey League games at Juan de Fuca Arena.

Juan de Fuca Gulls hammered Saanich Block Brothers 8-1 in the other encounter.

	P	W	L	T	Pts
Juan de Fuca	27	21	3	3	44
Fuller Lake	28	15	6	7	36
Saanich	27	17	8	2	36
Saanich	26	16	10	4	32
Esquimalt	26	11	14	1	23
Racquet Club	26	4	22	0	8
Lake Cowichan	26	2	23	3	7

FULLER LAKE FLYERS (4) — Ray Stubbington 2, Clint Eccles, Peter Rogers. VICTORIA NIXONS TRUCKING (3) — Steve Leatham 2, Kerry Blain.

JUAN DE FUCA GULLS (4) — Ed Nichols 3, Dave Archibald 3, Barry McLachlan 2, SAANICH BLOCK BROTHERS (1) — Kevin Schamehorn.

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BOWLER OF WEEK

Back in victory circle for second time in as many years, Dave Annear topped field in men's tenpin division of Times. Bowler-of-the-Week contest with 225-212-202 — 639 series in Friday Nighters' League at Mayfair Lanes.

Dickson Rink Wins Playoff

KELOWNA — Neil Dickson and his mates regained their touch in time Tuesday to chalk up a playoff victory and give Victoria a third straight provincial police curling championship.

In top form Monday as they won the "A" side of the bonspiel with three successive triumphs, the Victorians made it four in a row Tuesday morning and then ran into difficulties.

They were bounced 10-5 by the Nelson quartet of Ed Gee, the "B" winner, and continued to have troubles on early ends against Gee in a playoff for the title.

Dickson, Dave Wilson, Rae Bailey and Lorne Lowe got their shots back in the groove in time to take a 6-5 lead into the 10th end.

With Gee having last-rock advantage coming home, Dickson made a fine draw with his final rock to give Victoria two counters. The Nelson skip managed only to remove one stone, leaving Dickson with a 7-5 victory and a berth in the Canadian police final at Winnipeg in March.

Dickson and Wilson, who were with Moe Hill's rink that won the national police crown in 1971, and Lorne Lowe are members of the RCMP while Bailey is with the Saanich Police Department.

Record Bonspiel Entry

DUNCAN — Eight rinks from Victoria are included in the record entry of 40 four-somes taking part in the fourth annual women's bonspiel starting Thursday night at Duncan Curling Club.

The 'spiel has been previously limited to 32 rinks but was enlarged this year because of the large number of entries — and there is still a waiting list.

Competition will consist of four events on a Chisholm draw beginning with draws at 7 and 9:15 Thursday night and continuing at 5 and 7:15 Friday. Finals are scheduled for Sunday.

First draw for each rink:

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. — Mary Sturrock (V) vs. Ellen Williams (D); Ruby Niemeyer (V) vs. Isabel Jamieson (D); Sally Smith (D) vs. Betty Bergstrom (LC); Marlene Davenport (LC) vs. Alice Blom (D); Melba Schappert (D) vs. Joyce St. Clair (V).

8:15 p.m. — Laurel Eby (V) vs. Marg Harper (D); Shirley Burley (V) vs. Gilda Barrett (D); Barbara Willoughby (N) vs. Vera Wilson James (D); Nina Olson (V) vs. Evanne Branting (D).

FRIDAY

5:00 p.m. — Dina Valieu (Squamish) vs. Doreen Slette (D); Heather Cooper (Qual) vs. Isabel Heller (D); Verna Hart (PA) vs. Sharon Bell (D); Wilma Farwick (V) vs. Vivian Hinn (D); Bea Kollman (PA) vs. Nancy Robertson (D).

7:15 p.m. — Viv Cheenay (Van) vs. Joan Hepburn (D); Billy Giesse (N) vs. Marg Dewar (D); Helen Hoffman (PA) vs. Sheila Stewart (V); Lois Rye (Qual) vs. Silthea Fraser (D); Roma Plovesan (Van) vs. Sharon Kasick (D).

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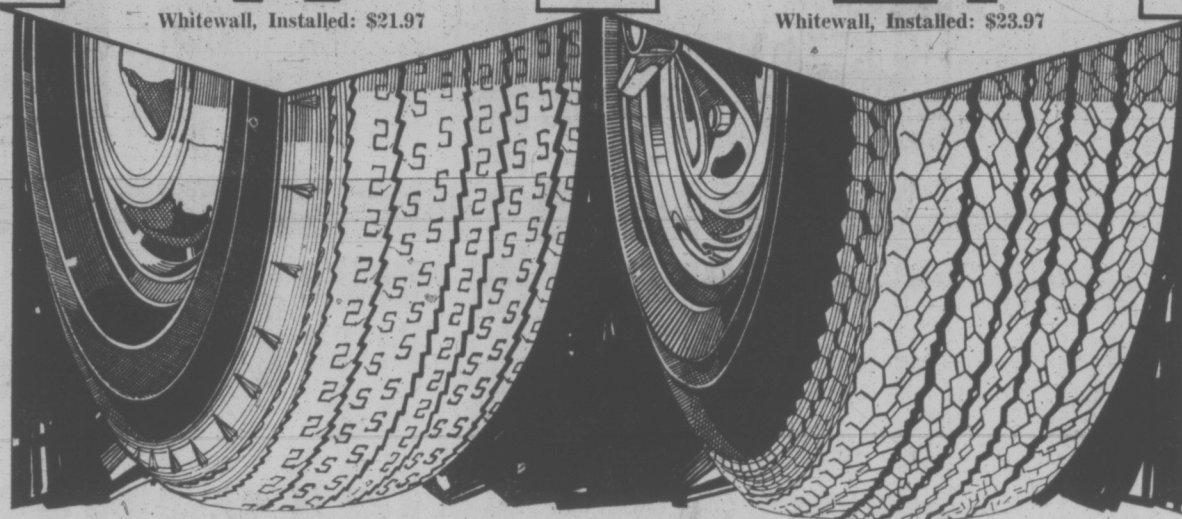
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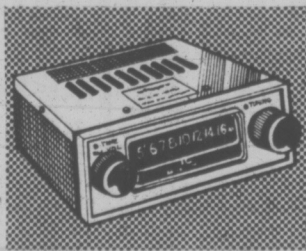


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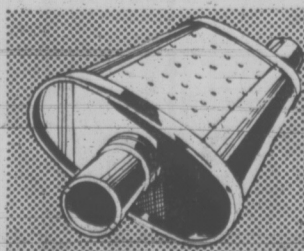


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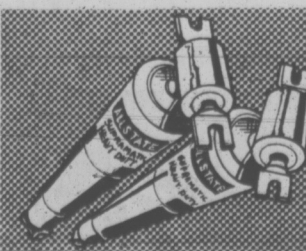


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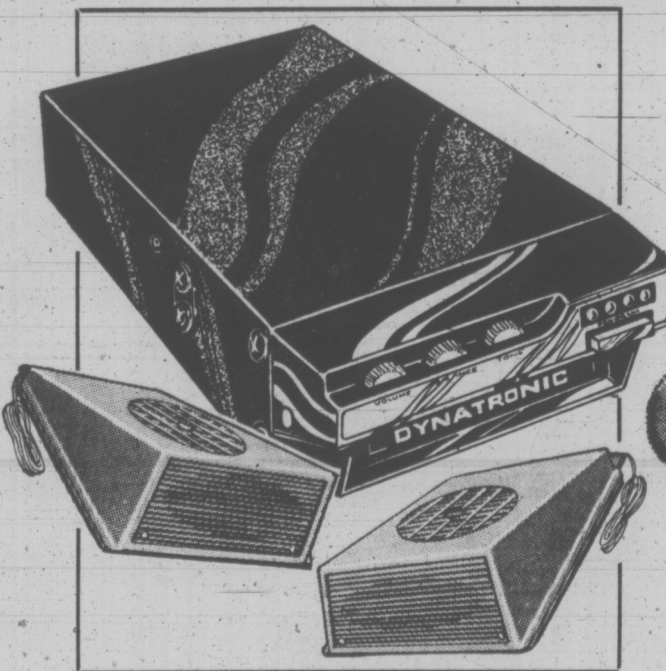


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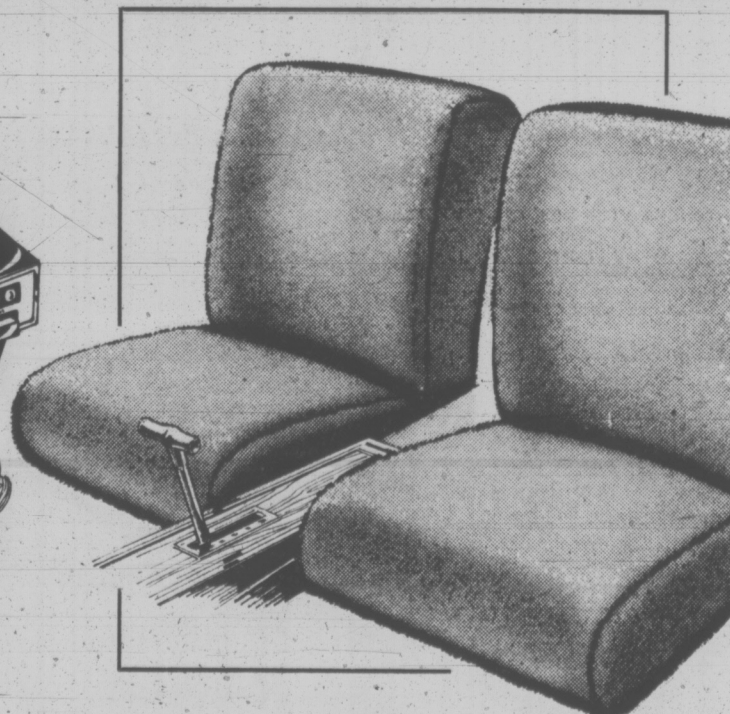
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Ottawa, Provinces Streamline Housing Plans

OTTAWA (CP) — Federal and provincial ministers took steps Tuesday to streamline planning in the housing field. Annual conferences, permanent consultation between federal and provincial housing officials and long-term budgeting won general agreement at the conclusion of the two-day housing meeting here.

Housing conferences have not been held frequently—the last was in 1968. And there has been friction and misunderstanding between federal and provincial governments on housing.

Urban Affairs Minister Ron

Basford hailed the agreement as a "far more rational and orderly way to establish housing policy."

Most of the items receiving general support were suggested by Mr. Basford, although similar proposals were made by some provinces.

He rejected an Ontario demand for money without conditions attached, a move which he said would strip the federal government of any role in housing policy.

However, Ontario Revenue Minister Allan Grossman said he intends to keep fighting for his proposal.

The provinces also backed in principle Mr. Basford's plans for amending the National Housing Act. These include a variety of housing programs for low-income persons and a land-assembly plan designed to cut land costs.

The meeting also recommended on the agenda of the meeting that housing be included in the next federal-provincial-municipal conference in November.

Mayor D. G. Newman of Whitby, Ont., president of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, said he was pleased that local government representatives were included in all provincial delegations.

Mr. Basford committed the

federal government to continue spending a minimum of \$1 billion annually on housing programs and to commit funds for three-year periods rather than one year at a time.

This was greeted enthusiastically by Maurice Gessier, Quebec minister of municipal affairs. Mr. Tessier said this will mean his government can plan on \$1 billion in federal funds for Quebec in the next three years as the province gets about one-third of the national total.

The urban affairs minister accepted a Quebec recommendation allowing transfer of funds from one housing program to another to suit provincial needs.

But Ontario's request for block-funding—money provided without conditions—was rejected. Ontario was supported by Alberta while other provinces had modified plans along similar lines.

Alberta strongly criticized the Central Mortgage and Housing Corp. which it said was duplicating efforts by the Alberta Housing Corp. and delaying housing programs.

Quebec to Receive \$' Billion in Loans

MONTREAL (CP) — Quebec expects to receive \$1 billion in federal loans and grants in the next three years as a result of agreement reached at the federal-provincial conference this week on housing in Ottawa, says Maurice Tessier, municipal affairs minister.

The money will come from the \$1 billion annually for housing and sewage programs promised to the provinces by Ron Basford, urban affairs minister. Mr. Tessier said Tuesday Quebec usually receives one-third of the national total.

The municipal affairs minister said he is "delighted" with the outcome of the conference which guaranteed "a large increase in federal assistance."

"Of the five or six federal-

provincial conferences I have attended, I have never seen one as productive."

He added that he is particularly pleased with the conditions of the new housing policy. In the future, he said, the province will be able to decide its own priorities.

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Haiphong After Bombing: Pounded, Not Paralyzed

The Washington Post

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This port city and its suburbs normally had a population of 1.8 million, the largest urban area of North Vietnam, with 300,000 people in Haiphong proper. Now, even a day's tour of the area illustrates part of the impact of what Haiphong's Mayor Le Duc Thinh says were "more than 10,000 tons of bombs" dropped on it in just one 10-day period in December by U.S. B-52 bombers and other planes. He says, "as you have seen, they dropped bombs indiscriminately everywhere."

Bombs did hit many residential sections of the city, where homes often are intermingled with workshops of various sizes. The pathetic sight of grandmothers, tiny children and their parents scraping through the mud for bricks and other construction materials to build walls for huts or lean-tos still persists. Elsewhere in this city, however, there is evidence of relative normalcy in wartime; a baseball game and a volleyball game were being played in the parks.

Although the bomb damage was first described by the original group of newsmen permitted to enter the area, the vast destruction inflicted

on the industrial zone west of the city where thousands of workers also lived is startling to see. Standing out on the horizon are the blackened ruins of North Vietnam's single largest industrial complex, dominated by huge cement production plant that is a shambles but which reportedly has some small amount of continuing production. Nearby are shattered storage tanks and factories, but in between some productive work still continues.

Along the still intermittently damaged road between Hanoi and Haiphong, cars are stopped at periodic checkpoints. There is in some sections a parallel single-track railway, and supplies for the war and civilian life still flow. At night, steam locomotives puff through the dark after the water buffalo and ox-drawn carts and trucks thin out. Hundreds of medium and heavy trucks are parked on the edges of the road, and there are miles of unopened parking crates, earth movers,

cranes, stacks of steel sheeting, iron rods, and other supplies.

Over an excellent Vietnamese dinner, Haiphong's 45-year-old mayor, who is sophisticated as well as efficient, points to the brimming platters and the beer and liquor and allows himself a twinkle of accomplishment, saying, "as you can see, they haven't succeeded in paralyzing us."

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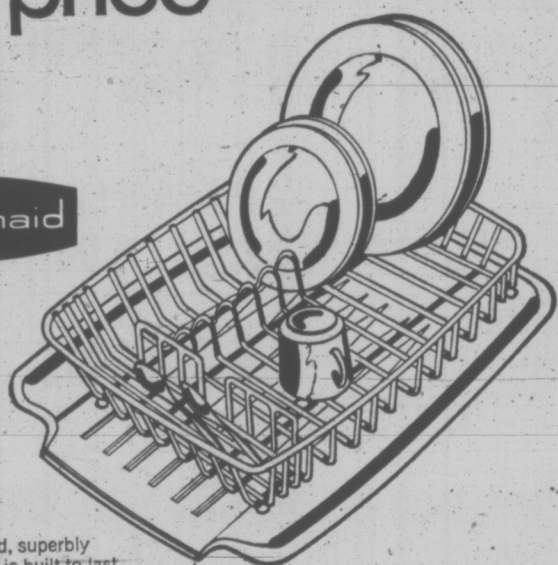
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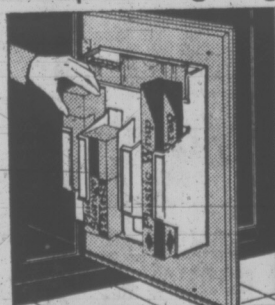


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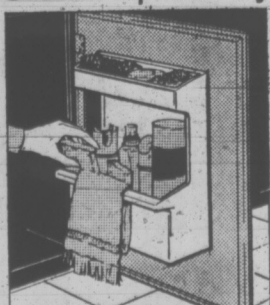
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Black Muslim 'Holy' Wars Feared in U.S.

NEW YORK (CP). — The weekend siege of four gunmen barricaded inside a Brooklyn sporting goods store and the execution-type slayings of seven persons in a Washington residence last week have stirred new fears of bloody warring between differing Muslim sects in the United States.

Police say the men who broke into the Brooklyn store were clearly not involved in a simple robbery.

"These men were definitely after the guns," said one policeman after the 47-hour drama in which one policeman was killed and two others wounded.

But a source close to one of the men was quoted as saying the four wanted the guns only "for defence purposes" — and

stressed that this did not mean defence against the police.

This indicates the Muslim sect to which the four belong may have been preparing for possible attacks by the better-known Black Muslim group headed by Elijah Muhammed.

A Washington police spokesman said after the slayings there that it was "definitely an execution."

And a leader of the Muslim sect to which the seven belonged said Monday the slayings had been carried out by the Black Muslims.

Hamaas Abdul Khaalis said the killings were the result of letters he had written to followers of Elijah Muhammed which he said "exposed Elijah." His daughter was among those wounded in the

Washington incident and he said she quoted her attacker as saying:

"You should have expected this. Your father should not have written those letters."

Muslim sects began spreading through black communities in the U.S. after the Second World War. Elijah Muhammed's group, which calls itself the Nation of Islam, was among the largest and its

growth was helped by the development of Malcolm X into an able and effective orator.

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Women's Shoes, Victoria, Second

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Housewares, Victoria, Third

BEAD-O-MATIC — Child guidance plastic toy beads to give your children fun while learning. Sort themselves by colour. Were 1.29. **Special, each 49c**

Toys, Victoria, Third

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Portable Radios, Victoria, Fourth

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Picture Gallery, Victoria, Fourth

60-WATT INSIDE FROSTED LIGHT BULBS —By General Electric. Limit—Two per customer. **Special, each 14c**

Hardware, Victoria, Downstairs

MEN'S BRIEFS AND TOPS in white cotton knit. Broken sizes. Were 88c. Limit—One per customer. **Special, each 19c**

Baymart, Victoria, Downstairs

2 P.M.

MEN'S BRIEFS AND VESTS in white cotton knit. Assortment of men's athletic style briefs and vests. Broken sizes. Limit—3 per customer. **Special, each 59c**

Men's Personal Furnishings, Victoria, Main

NAPKINS for entertaining or decorating. Assorted patterns in 13 1/2" x 13 1/2" size. Limit—Two packs per customer. **Special, pack 5c**

Notions, Victoria, Main

NU TONE CARPET CLEANER—Get ready to spring clean your rugs and carpets. Use this popular Nu Tone cleaner and see how much brighter and fresher they'll look. 2 1/2-lb. size. **Special, each 1.49**

Floor Coverings, Victoria, Fourth

INCENSE BURNERS imported from India. Assorted shapes in brass with etched design. Limit—Two per customer. **Special, each 29c**

China, Victoria, Third

BOYS' PYJAMAS—For your young lad's sleeping comfort. Two-piece styling in washable cotton. Red or blue. Were 1.97. **Special, pair 49c**

Baymart Budget Store, Men's and Boys' Wear, Victoria, Downstairs

7 P.M.

MEN'S CASUAL JACKETS, 1/2 PRICE — Are in corduroy, nylon or double knits for everyday casual wear. Assorted colours. Sizes 34 to 42. Were 7.88 to \$32. **Special, each 1/2 Price**

Men's Casual Wear, Victoria, Main

MEN'S ANKLE SOCKS are in wool and nylon blends for longer wear. Stretch sizes 10 to 12. Limit—3 pair per customer. **Special, pair 59c**

Men's Furnishings, Victoria, Main

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Jewellery, Victoria, Main

WOODBURY'S CASTILE SHAMPOO for clean, shining hair. 15-oz. size. Limit—One per adult customer. **Special, each 38c**

Household Needs, Victoria, Main

PACKAGE OF ENVELOPES—100 envelopes per pack. Blue lined or white for business or personal use. Limit—2 packs per customer. **Special, each 8c**

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WOMEN'S T-SHIRTS are in cotton knits that wash and wear so well. Round neck styling with long sleeves. Assorted colours. Broken sizes S.M.L. Limit—One per customer. **Special, each 49c**

Sportswear, Victoria, Second

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Girls' Wear, Victoria, Third

TEEN AND YOUNG MODERN SHOES are in slip-on and tie styles. Leathers and patents in assorted colours. Broken sizes. **Special, pair 3.99**

Young Footwear, Victoria, Second

IMPORTED LINEN TEA TOWELS—Limit two towels per customer. **Special, 2 for 19c**

Staples, Victoria, Third

DRAPERY BOLT END YARDAGE—Hurry for this clearance of discontinued drapery yardage in a good selection of prints and plaids. Limit—3 pieces per customer. **Special, yard 99c**

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Hardware, Victoria, Downstairs

MEN'S AND BOYS' TOQUES in assorted patterns and colours. Were 99c. **Special, each 29c**

Baymart Budget Store, Children's Wear, Victoria, Downstairs

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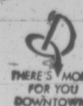
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Way to Independence —The Commons Yawned

Two things were missing in a brief reference here last week to — if I may repeat my own estimate — the most important proposition to be put to the House of Commons in years.

The first was the fact that the man who made it, Ian Arrol, the 49-year-old Conservative member of Parliament for York East, is, in a sense, a local boy. Arrol spent his youth in Parksville where his father was a United Church minister. He was a radio announcer and school teacher in the east before becoming religion editor of the Daily Colonist. Returning to the east and teaching, he entered politics and was elected to the Commons in the last election.

Missing, too, was a copy of Hansard with the complete text of his speech. Since I could find no paper in Canada that gave it more than a perfunctory three or four paragraphs Arrol's case for a de-militarized Canada clearly did not have the national airing it deserved. I now have that full text.

Arrol's proposal, bluntly put, is that Canada should give up the right to use its armed forces for any national purpose whatsoever.

He quotes theologian Reinhold Niebuhr on the malaise of youth — "an unfocused craving for affirmation" — and suggests that Canadians in general do not know collectively what it means to have an identity. "There is still this strange unease in the land," he notes, "an unease which can probably only be settled through some project to which all Canadians can give their adherence." That project? "Let one nation seek to establish peace by preparing absolutely for peace instead of preparing for war."

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To that end, Arrol would abolish our Department of National Defence, replace it with a Department for United Nations Co-operation and guarantee that those armed forces we retained would be used only at the discretion of the UN.

"The world's only salvation may be a reconstituted and strengthened United Nations with the power to keep the peace between nations," as he sees it. "And the only way the United Nations can be renewed, reconstituted and given the power to put its ideals into effect may be by dramatic initiative by one nation. We could take a step all by ourselves, then invite other nations to join us in the name of humanity the world over."

"Let us put the ideals of the United Nations — to which all nations say they subscribe — into practice, step by step, nation by nation, starting with Canada. This would be our affirmation, our cause, our way of asserting ourselves nationally in the service of an ideal that would go beyond our national borders, that would make us masters in our own house, subject to no other nation's foreign policy, but in service to all. I declare for peace and I would have my nation so declare. I affirm that the use of armed force in the world is a world responsibility and not that of any one nation."

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Arrol proposes that the immense amount of money we now pour into a military establishment be used, instead, for an economic program for the under-developed countries, that we provide training in medicine, agricultural, industrial and other techniques for the have-not nations.

He went on: "This project, shared by French and English-speaking Canadians, could have unifying qualities for Canada, drawing us together as we united the visiting nations of our soil... In many other ways Canada could be a laboratory, a workshop, a showcase for United Nations purposes."

Arrol readily conceded that such a move by Canada would be bitterly opposed by our "allies."

"It would take as much courage as going to war," he told the Commons. "It would, indeed, be the moral equivalent of going to war. But no matter what the price, we would have charted the course for no less than a Made-in-Canada Declaration of Independence. It is ideals and not economic warfare which call for a nation to life, to spirit."

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"The Indians under Gandhi practised non-violence for the independence of their nation; the Negroes under Martin Luther King for recognition of a race," he concluded. "Our task would be non-violence for the recognition and fulfillment of the possibilities for good in all mankind, a first practical step to peace on earth. Some nation at some time soon must act as a catalyst to break the armed camps in which the nations of the world find themselves today; some nation must cause a revolution in thinking about war and its inevitability."

Our man in Ottawa tells me that the speech was received by the House of Commons with much the same sort of yawn that it was received on the news desks of the land. I suppose that explains my own sense of unease, my own unfocused craving for doing something that might proudly be called Canadian.

FROZEN CHICKEN LITTERS HIGHWAY

Shawnigan Lake RCMP and Mill Bay residents spent Tuesday clearing 10,000 pounds of frozen chicken from the Trans-Canada Highway after a Maplewood Poultry Processors Ltd. truck overturned one mile north of Mill Bay.

RCMP said the wheel bearings on the van, driven by Art Watson, 27, seized up, and heated the axle housing.

The axle popped out of position and the rear dual wheels actually passed in front of the moving truck, causing it to overturn. The accident occurred at 6:30 a.m.

Museums 'Strangled by Apathy'

By SUSAN RUTTAN
Times Staff

Museums in Greater Victoria are suffering from the neglect of municipal and provincial governments, a long-time museum authority said Tuesday.

"They're being strangled to death by government apathy and by civic apathy on the part of the cities that form Greater Victoria," said Dr. Archie Key, former director of the Canadian Museums Association.

"They don't realize the assets they have in these three institutions," Key said of the Provincial Museum, the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria and the Maritime Museum.

Key was in Victoria to collect material for a book he is writing on the origin and development of Canadian museums, due to be published in August. British Columbia is his last stop in his cross-Canada study of museums.

"The art gallery here is one of the richest in terms of collection," he said. "The Japanese collection is the finest of its kind in Canada."

Yet the gallery is given only a small operating budget (\$80,000 last year), he said.

"It has not been permitted to expand." With its collection of close to 4,000 art objects, the art gallery deserves a \$2 or \$3 million building, Key said.

Despite the problems of mu-

By WAYNE HARDING

More buses on existing routes won't answer all the complaints of Greater Victoria transit users.

Lack of cross-town buses is a major criticism of the service.

"It's a tremendous inconvenience," says Mrs. Ruth Clay, 592 Peto Place, past president of the Victoria branch of the Consumers' Association of Canada, who has taken a special interest in the transit system.

Inadequate routing in B.C. Hydro's bus system is one of the reasons people are "forced to drive and it causes great inconvenience to students and senior citizens and those who simply cannot afford a car," Mrs. Clay claims.

The problems arise from the route pattern of the bus system which has not changed significantly in past 20 years despite the growth of the community, new subdivisions, new institutions and new destinations for bus passengers.

Greater Victoria's bus system is designed as a wheel with the corner of Douglas and Yates at the centre and its various routes as spokes reaching out to the suburbs to a radius of 4 1/4 miles.

The system was designed to bring people from the suburbs to the downtown core at a time when the volume of traffic between outlying points was very small.

In recent years there has been growing pressure on Hydro to create routes which link these outlying points directly. In 1969, Saanich mu-

Lack of Cross-Town Buses Holding Up Transit Users

nicipal council asked Hydro to consider putting a cross-town route along McKenzie.

"We studied it," recalls Victoria transportation manager H. R. Halls. "But it was clearly premature. We said, at the time, we didn't expect enough volume on such a route for another five years."

"We have now reached the point where the McKenzie route should be reconsidered," Halls says noting that major changes and improvements to the transit system will probably take place in the next few years as govern-

ment policy to induce more bus travel and less car travel is implemented.

In the meantime, it's a long, often frustrating chore to make one's way across town by bus.

For example, in order to make an 8:30 a.m. lecture at the University of Victoria, a student living in Esquimalt would have to take a bus that had left Dockeyard at 7:25 a.m. at the latest.

With luck, he could transfer to a University bus at Douglas and Yates at 7:40 in which case he would arrive at the

University at about 8:10. Missing either the Esquimalt or the University bus would put him 20 minutes behind — too late to make his class.

Total travelling time from Dockeyard to the University by bus is 45 minutes — 65 if you miss one bus.

The further one lives away from downtown, the more frustrating is the lack of cross-town buses.

For example, a person living in the Gordon Head area wanting to make an afternoon visit to someone living at Gorge and Admirals could

take a Gordon Head bus that leaves Tyndall and Barrie at 12:45 p.m. and be downtown by 1:05 where he would have to wait 20 minutes in order to catch the right Gorge Road bus that would take him to Admirals.

When he finally arrives at his destination, his total travelling and waiting time will be about one hour and 10 minutes.

Improvements are coming. In the meantime, without cross-town routes, there will be many long waits at the corner of Douglas and Yates.



RESTYLING curly locks of David Classen, Deep Cove, barber Lyle Smith is guided by current trend toward shorter hair for men. But don't look for cue ball cuts of the past to win any popularity. Barbers say the "medium cut" is in. (Living Strickland photo)

Victorians Adopt Trim But Still No Skin Heads

Now that the army has been sold on long hair, wouldn't you know the styles are getting shorter?

Men's hair stylists in Victoria agree the trend is toward closer trims, reflecting reports of short styles in such hairstyle centres as New York, Los Angeles and Atlanta.

Len Copan, who runs the barber shop concession in Work Point Barracks, said the army was only just getting used to longer hair, permitting men in the forces to wear the tops and sides as long as they wanted, provided ears are in the clear, sideburns are no longer than mid-ear and hair at the nape of the neck is no longer than the earlobe.

He said barbers are "not skinning like they used to" to

provide the classic military haircut. The typical cut today is "like an average medium haircut," Copan said.

He thought forces haircuts probably would not change much now until the short-short style returns, if that should ever happen.

Downtown barbers can't see clipper cuts ever coming back.

Judy Henley, barber at The Baron, 727 Johnson, said, "the one men in Victoria like is just below the earlobe."

"Anything over the collar is going out. A lot of that is for company reasons," she said.

From the front today's look is layered and in the near future "I don't think it will go much shorter," she said.

"It looks nice when it's pa-

tural-looking — not shaved around the ears."

"Super long is out," agreed Lyle Smith, of The Den, 1175 Douglas. "It's too big a hassle to look after." Men, who generally don't want to spend the time women do caring for their hair, are looking for easier management, he said.

The trend is "not back to the crewcut," said Zeke Almeida, of Oak Bay Hair-styling, 2039 Oak Bay.

The newer styles are "what would be a neat look, half way down the ears and clear of the collar, not bushy."

"Clippers are not used much anymore."

Goodbye old faithful electric curling tongs, hot air blowers, aerosol spray and bomb and hair nets. "Anybody got a comb?"

"They might pass a bill granting conditional amnesty provided some service is done when the resisters return, but I think only those who can't make it in Canada will go back."

He said he felt there was a great deal of resentment of draft dodgers in the United States and resisters would return home only to see their families.

Another American in the city who deserted and was later given a legal discharge and the right to go home, says he prefers to stay in Canada anyway.

War resisters aren't as easy to find in Victoria as they once were. Many have left the city to settle in the interior of B.C. or in the north.

"They're settling down into the life here," one resister explained, "there's not as much unity between them as there used to be. I guess they're going their own way now — and leaving that past behind."

"So the war's over," another summed up. "Nothing's changed — down there — I'll stay here."

The war may be over but American war resisters here say there's no way they'll move back to the United States.

The general attitude among those interviewed today seemed to be "the war might be over — so what?"

President Nixon's announcement of ceasefire in Vietnam may mean the end of that war, one deserter said, but it does not mean the end of the American war machine.

"The war is an economic thing," said Sherman Sheldon, 22, who has been here three years.

"Whenever there's a ceasefire or lull like this, workers start to scream that they're out of work," Sheldon said, "so the economy relies on war."

"I can't see people down there eating soup instead of steak so I see the pathway open to expanding some other war effort."

"The U.S. is fighting a lot of little wars so it's just a matter of giving one the priority," Sheldon said.

"Attitudes wouldn't have changed down there," Sheldon said.

"Canada has a good feeling. There's still a pioneering, wholesome type of spirit here — I don't want to leave."

"I might go back to visit but I've grown up a lot and realized a lot of things since I came to Canada, and it's my home now," he added.

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Another 26-year-old draft-dodger said he would never return to the U.S., except to visit, and he felt real amnesty wasn't possible.

"We don't accept the term amnesty anyway," he said, "because it means forgiveness and we don't feel we've done anything wrong."

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SECOND SECTION

War Resisters Won't Go Home Despite Peace

CABBIE ROBBED BY 'VICTIM'

A 22-year-old cab driver, who stopped to help a man lying on the street early today, was robbed at gunpoint by the man.

Bluebird driver Dennis Wayne Jasper, 616 Goldstream, was driving on Quadra near North Park at 2:20 a.m. when he noticed the man and stopped to investigate.

The man stood up, brandished a small pistol and said, "Give me your money."

Jasper was relieved of \$27.

Harassment Charged

A company official said today there has been "a great deal of harassment" on Telephone Answering's emergency lines since a strike started Friday.

D. A. Rowlands, manager of B.C. District Telegraph, parent company of Telephone Answering Service, said phone lines handling fire and ambulance calls from outlying areas and for burglar alarms are being tied up.

"We don't know who is doing it. It has never happened before. We are disgusted at it," Rowlands said.

Jim McAvoy, business agent for Local 230 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, representing the 20 striking employees, said he has no knowledge of any calls going on emergency lines.

"I'm opposed to anyone doing this on emergency lines," he said.

Rowlands also said he was "very surprised and very

shocked" when the employees went on strike.

He said the union didn't reply to offers made at a negotiating meeting Dec. 27.

McAvoy said the offer was for two cents an hour for one category for one year. The union's reply was strike notice, he said.

Main issue in the strike is wages. The union is seeking \$2.75 an hour for senior employees with three years experience while the company has offered \$2.40. Starting rates were the provincial minimum of \$2 an hour.

The union announced that, at the request of the Letter Carriers Union of Canada, it is giving mailmen a picket pass to deliver letters to offices in the building at 727 Johnson, except Telephone Answering. McAvoy said "we don't want to unjustly penalize" other businesses in the same building not involved in the strike.

SPEC Rejects Saanich Group

Formation of a new provincial environmental organization with headquarters in Saanich was announced today by Derrick Mallard, a well-known B.C. environmentalist.

The Citizens' Association to Save the Environment will hold its first public meeting in the Newcombe Auditorium, Provincial Museum, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m.

Mallard, formerly of Vancouver, is one of the founders of SPEC who resigned from the organization last April. He moved to Victoria after attending the world conference on environment held in Stockholm, last summer.

CASE was formed after the provincial council of SPEC refused to grant the Saanich SPEC branch a charter, Mallard said.

"The rationale underlying the decision for denial has not been divulged," he said. "It is classified confidential. However, we will work with SPEC branches and organizations with objectives similar to CASE."

Spinach Rises in Rating When It's a Souffle

By MARY MOORE

For those among you who are confirmed vegetarians my spinach souffle below will be a welcome change. We served lamb chops with it.

Do not hesitate to make it

for it sustains most of its high rise and happy to relate, requires only one 10-ounce package spinach and serves five.

SPINACH SOUFFLE

One 10-oz. pkg. fresh spinach

SAUCE:

2 tbsp. margarine
3 tbsp. flour
1 c. milk
3 eggs—yolks and white separated.
2 tbsp. finely chopped onion
1 tsp. salt
Shake of pepper
7 or 8 flakes rosemary
Grated cheese

Wash the spinach and drain it well. Press into large pot and cook covered, without adding any water, turning it over when it is boiling. Cook until it is tender enough to chop finely.

Make the sauce by blending together in a pot the margarine and flour then stir in the milk until thick. Stir in the egg yolks, onion, salt, pepper, rosemary and chopped spinach. Beat egg whites until stiff in large bowl and fold spinach sauce into them until all puffs of egg white are blended in.

Turn into straight-sided ungreased 6-cup souffle dish. Sprinkle with grated cheese. Stand in pan of hot water and bake at 325 deg. Fahr. 50 minutes. Serve at once.

Write to Mary Moore, 32 Churchill Ave., Hamilton, Ont., enclosing stamped self-addressed envelope and 10 cents for each specified recipe.



Spinach disguised in tasty souffle

Couple Celebrates Diamond Jubilee

Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Briggs, 9861 Third Street, Sidney, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Tuesday with a buffet supper for close friends and family at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs.

The couple will hold an open house Saturday, January 27, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., at Margaret Vaughn-Birch Hall, 6689 Fourth Street, Sidney.

The Briggs were both born

in Bolton, Lancashire, England. Briggs emigrated to Canada in 1912. His fiancée followed the next year and the couple was married January 23, 1913, in Toronto.

Briggs served with the Royal Canadian Engineers in the First War and worked for the Canadian National Railway in Edmonton from 1921 until his retirement in 1955.

They have two children, a son, John Briggs, of Sidney, and a daughter, Mrs. John E. Potts, of San Carlos, Calif.

Classroom Atmosphere Assists Evaluation

BLOOMFIELD, Ont. (CP)—Edward Rutter, Prince Edward County board of education trustee, asked director of education John McNeil if he had any plans for having students evaluate teachers. The

students do help, said McNeil. "I watch the students in the classroom as well as the teachers—the atmosphere in the classroom—is a major consideration of evaluation," he said.

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LACK OF DISCIPLINE SHOWS IN VANDALISM

Friends of mine, who were in Pasadena for the Rose Bowl Parade on the first day of this year, have come home with a fantastic story that points up the senseless thinking and lack of discipline that governs so many today.

Anyone here who watched that parade on television will remember the Occidental Life Insurance Company entry that won a grand prize for the most beautiful commercial float.

Aptly named "Premiere," in keeping with the parade theme "Movie Memories,"

the entry depicted a star-studded 1930s movie opening. Under a theatre marquee blanketed with orchids and chrysanthemums stood four vintage cars created with more chrysanthemums, callendula, silver leaves and rose and carnation petals.

Four spinning discs, covered with pink and white carnations gave the appearance of spotlights. Three-by-six foot posters with faces of prominent movie stars (among them Sophia Loren and Peter O'Toole, stars of Man of La Mancha—all created from variously colored flower seeds—decorated the marquee.

Three-quarters of the way through the parade, a split rim on one of the front casters, brought this outstanding float to a halt. A tournament official summoned a



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low truck and it was pulled onto a side street.

There it was planned to make repairs and then get the float to the part where all entries (well guarded and protected) stand for a certain time after the parade.

The float never reached the parade route by way of that side street, reduced it to a skeleton of chicken wire.

They ripped off everything they could and what they

couldn't rip off, they kicked in.

Driver of the float, Bob Hammond, and his wife, tried unsuccessfully to fight off the vandals but gave up by mid-afternoon.

Hammond stood on the float, pleading with people to keep moving and keep their hands off, but they ignored him. Young and old alike.

What made the whole thing "utterly senseless," according to my friends, was the complete destruction. Not one flower was taken away as a souvenir. Not even the seed

posters which could have been coated and preserved indefinitely.

That float took several hundred man hours of work to create and it cost in the neighborhood of \$35,000. It was destroyed in a matter of minutes.

Will incidents like this, coupled with other acts of vandalism that were common occurrences as a million-and-a-half people milled through Pasadena on New Year's Day, eventually lead to the parade being cancelled?

My friends say it's a possibility. The people of Pasadena are talking about that, right now.

Another experience they had was in the Los Angeles airport where they went through "for a first time" a device "like a big open-ended

box" geared to detect sky-jackers.

Everyone going aboard a plane went through "this contraption," they say, and once through, no one was allowed to approach within hand-shaking distance a barrier behind which relatives and friends stood to say farewells.

Guards were everywhere. All wearing holstered guns on their hips.

These two happenings, coupled with the "cement jungles" they found in southern California cities, the "many levels of freeways that run in and around" these cities, the file-ups in traffic, and the hordes of people, have led these two well-travelled Victoria women (now they are home) to say over and over again, "how lucky we all are to live in Victoria."

YOUR HOROSCOPE

Forecast for Thursday, Jan. 25, 1973

By SIDNEY OMARR

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Concern with the hidden or occult surfaces. You are not likely to be satisfied with status quo. Key is to investigate, to probe for answers. Source material is unorthodox. Money affecting main partner is involved.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Public relations improve. More persons express appreciation for your efforts. Social invitation is received—accept it. Don't push or force. One close to you has surprise. If receptive, you will be gratified.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Steady pace brings satisfaction, reward. You gain if thorough. Specifically, your work methods, your procedures bear fruit. Key is to know progress is being made—don't feel there must be fireworks. Sincerity and dedication are valuable commodities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Good lunar aspect now coincides with creative change, special relationship and recognition from others. Your ideas, style come across. Intensified relationship is much in picture. Don't run from emotions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Changes occur within family. Keep antennas up for special signal. Gemini, Virgo persons figure prominently. Basic issues dominate. Don't neglect who wants to tell you something. Be attentive, sympathetic.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You may have to decide between course which seems rough and one which is tough. There is apparently no easy way. But once you get started, forward motion carries you to goal. Places in picture. Short trip probably is necessary.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Accent is on money, personal possessions, how to get most from assets. Capricorn is likely to be in picture. Utilize lessons learned in recent past. You have allies in high positions. Know it and act like you are aware of it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-November 21): Face what you fear. By so doing you actually overcome obstacle. Key now is to maintain independent stance. By going behind scenes you obtain required data. Know it and proceed in direct manner.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Face what you fear. By so doing you actually overcome obstacle. Key now is to maintain independent stance. By going behind scenes you obtain required data. Know it and proceed in direct manner.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Accents now on friends, hopes, special aspirations. Family member helps you attain what is required. Be receptive. If you don't know, ask. Others now want to aid. But you must make initial gesture.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Go directly to source. Move in different direction. Accept ability to direct. You are not stuck with one method. Experiment. Expand horizons. Deal with sagittarian. Give fullplay to intellectual curiosity. Leave details for another time.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Emphasis is on study, journeys, communications from a distance. You are able to get through to person willing to show you the key to progress. Aquarius, Leo and Scorpio persons figure prominently.

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: you tend to be introspective. You usually choose quality. You are able to get through to person willing to show you the key to progress. Aquarius, Leo and Scorpio persons figure prominently.

DEAR READER: If he doesn't realize that you don't want him to have the ring because you are concerned about his welfare, shame on him.



dear abby

Shame on You, Max . . . It's for Your Own Good

DEAR ABBY: I am 77 years old and Max is 80. We've been married for 60 years and have no complaints. Max has always been a flashy dresser. He wears a nice-sized diamond ring which I don't wear any more because I am afraid of being robbed or killed. Max said as long as I'm not wearing my diamond, he would like to make it into a ring for himself.

Abby, it's not that I don't want him to have the diamond, it's just that I am afraid of what might happen to him. Since I have refused Max to me, he also quit making love to me every Sunday afternoon which he has done for 60 years. I suppose I could live without it, but I got so accustomed to it, I feel deprived.

Should I give him the ring so he will be his old sweet and loving self again?—Reader.

DEAR READER: If he doesn't realize that you don't want him to have the ring because you are concerned about his welfare, shame on him.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 19-year-old male and in college. I have yet to discover the formula for finding a girl friend. I ask girls out to sports events, movies, walks, or any

thing, and have a refusal rate of about 99.7. The other 0.3 per cent agree so they won't hurt my feelings.

I know I am not very good-looking, and I have little money but I see other guys who aren't good-looking with little money and they have girl friends, so it must be me.

My family life hasn't been too happy. My parents are divorced and there were five children and I lacked affection, which I am sure has something to do with my eagerness to make up for it now. I find extraordinary pleasure at any chance physical contact with another person, which is rare and only by accident.

Maybe it has something to do with my body chemistry, something in line with my inability to catch a fish. I've heard that a fish will not touch bait which has been prepared by a person with a certain characteristic body chemistry.

Any suggestions?—Lonely Guy

DEAR LONELY: Girls are not fish and you're no fisherman, so forget the body chemistry theory. Quit thinking about what you lack and start making small talk with any girl you dig who's handy. If she doesn't dig you, maybe she can dig up a friend who does. You sound like a bright young man. Now get going.

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Soaring Price Of Fresh Milk Boosts Powder

Canada's food rules stipulate that children should have two to three servings of milk daily; adolescents, four servings; and adults, 1½ servings. Milk by-products — such as cheese, ice cream, milk puddings — are acceptable substitutes.

The problem — another cent-a-quart across the board increase in the cost of milk.

Although it is "only another cent," it's the third price-hike in a 10-month period and these increases are beginning to sneak up on the consumer.

Other than raising a cow in your own back yard, the only alternative seems to be to substitute at a cheaper price.

But substitutes for milk are few and far between. City nutritionists say "there's no way around milk for children, so the situation leaves only two choices."

Both are based on prices.

At one milk store chain, the one-cent increase will leave the following prices: homogenized milk 40 cents; two per cent, 38 cents; skim, 35 cents; buttermilk, 37 cents.

Powdered milk, not subject to recent increases, stands at about 83 cents per pound which makes about 6 quarts of skim milk.

Powdered milk is as nutritious as milk. The only difference is looked upon by many as an advantage — "it has a lower caloric content, as butter fat is not included in the mixture."

"A lot of families aren't used to using skim milk and they should be," says Elly Hay, a city nutritionist and member of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Dietetic Association.

"Nutritionists are going to have to sell skim milk or powdered milk to families and mothers are going to have to start selling it to their children," she said.

"It looks and tastes different, so it'll probably take a bit of getting used to."

"Homemakers can start the change-over by substituting two per cent milk for the high-priced homogenized and later making the switch to skim milk. They can also mix the skim milk with two per cent as an intermediate measure," Mrs. Hay said.

Barbara McNeil, the dietitian at Glendale Hospital, has a few tips for getting children to like skim milk.

"Nobody likes it when it's lumpy. The first step is to make it in the evening; mix it thoroughly; let it cool overnight and serve in the morning."

"Sometimes, powdered milk tends to look too light in color. If it's served to children in an opaque jug and glasses, they don't see the light color."

"Children will like it if it's served good and cold, and there's no big discussion about it, being powdered milk," she said.

She advises consumers to choose a brand of powdered milk that has Vitamin D added to it.

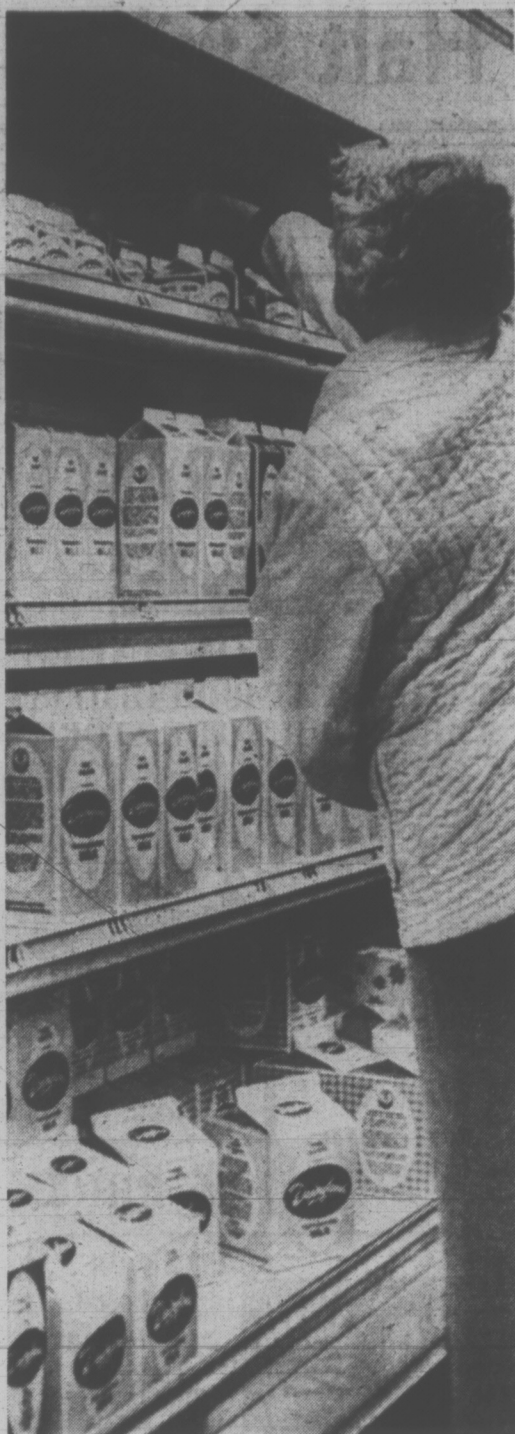
"People should check to see that it's been vitaminized because it's a good idea to have Vitamin D included in a milk source."

"Society is getting more calorie conscious, so the switch for some families has already started. And if the increase in the price of milk has put ice cream, or ice milk, out of your budget range, pudding made with skim milk is a desert alternative," she said.

Ice cream has been increased by two cents a pint, the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association, B.C.'s largest dairying organization, recently announced.

Other B.C. dairies are expected to follow their lead.

The price increase was explained in terms of the higher cost of raw milk purchased by the dairy from its 900 producer-members, most of whom are dairy farmers in the Fraser Valley.



Milk's costlier, everywhere

Divorce Can Be a Disaster; So Why Not Have Insurance?

NEW YORK (CP) — You can buy insurance to protect your car, your house and even your life against burglary, fire, theft and such natural calamities as flood and earthquake.

How about insurance against that other natural calamity — divorce?

State Senator Donald Halperin, Brooklyn Democrat, thinks so much of the idea that he is submitting to the New York state legislature in Albany a bill to set up a commission to study the idea.

"It's as logical as protecting oneself with accident, fire or life insurance," says Halperin, who thinks the legislation has a good chance of con-

sideration because of public pressure.

The idea is that a couple would take out divorce insurance upon marriage. The insurance would be used primarily to insure adequate child support in the event of a divorce. Byt, if the marriage proved to be a lasting one, the protection could be extended to other uses.

Halperin's proposal has generated interest among feminists, lawyers and legislators and such organizations as NOISE, the National Organization to Improve Support Enforcement; founded a year or so ago to improve the concept of child support.

NOISE has a mailing list of more than 7,000 interested

men and women and works closely with groups active in the fields of divorce, alimony and child support.

The founder of NOISE is Diana Du Broff, a 62-year-old grandmother and a fellow of the Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, who says her organization's aim is "to alleviate the suffering of the silent, middle-income woman."

A number of middle-class women, she said, are forced to go on welfare because they receive no support from divorced husbands and have no training for work.

Divorce insurance "could be something like a trust fund, taken out by the couple, or by their parents, as a nest egg. . . . The parents might be

interested because grandparents are sometimes faced with the support of children if the couple splits up."

Halperin said the underlying idea would be some system of guaranteed support where children would not suffer because of their parents' marital problems.

"Studies have shown that a small percentage of support orders are lived up to and a large percentage are totally ignored. Some husbands may want to make payments but can't do so and some husbands may find themselves unable to enter into another marriage."

Statistics show that the number of divorces in New York state jumped to 768,000 in 1971 from 413,000 in 1962.

WELFARE TRAP SPRUNG

CALGARY (CP) — Susan is 26, a delicate, plain-looking girl with straw-blond hair — the type you wouldn't notice in a crowd.

She has two children, is separated from her husband and has been on welfare for four years.

Susan feels welfare is a tender trap. Once you go on, it's hard to get off, she says.

She wants to be independent. But with no job skills, a Grade 10 education and no work experience of any kind, it seemed to her there was no escape.

Until last fall, her chances

of becoming self-supporting and making a new life for herself were minimal.

But all that has changed. Susan has found a way off the long staircase that leads nowhere.

A program called Contemporary Women helped Susan and others like her realize independence.

The course began three years ago in Calgary. It was geared to middle-class women whose marriages were intact, but who felt they weren't getting enough out of life.

Last fall the course was re-

structured and offered on a limited basis to hard-core welfare recipients who are widowed, separated or divorced.

They are single parents who have been thrust into a competitive job market for which they are unprepared. They are women who would like to be independent but who, through circumstances, have been forced to seek welfare assistance.

The eight-week pilot course, which began in October, was co-sponsored by the adult education division of the Calgary school board, the student counselling services at the University of Calgary, and the Alberta social development department.

Recently, of the 14 who began the course, one had dropped out, two have jobs, one had a job opportunity, six were seeking job training, three were job hunting, and one remained at home because she had a severe problem with a teen-aged child.

Susan plans to obtain a do-it-yourself divorce and return to school. She wants to be a social worker some day.

"The thing I liked best about the course — the thing

that helped me most — was the group support," she said.

"I was in a rut. My husband left me five years ago and I was trying to be a father and mother to my children."

"I couldn't but I tried. My whole world was that house. I was depressed all the time," she said.

"But all that has changed. I have hope now. I think I can do anything within my limits and I'm not scared to try any more."

Participants in the course ranged in age from 18 to 53. The average number of children each had was 3.5.

"Society looks down on welfare recipients, but they can succeed in becoming self-supporting if they are given a fair chance," said Don Pearce, supervisor of the employment opportunities program for the social development department.

"Some have been on welfare for a long time. They were raised on it and now are raising their own children on it."

"What we try to do is break this cycle of poverty or welfare," she says.

Mother Working May Help Child

TORONTO (CP) — Having a mother who works might actually aid the development of pre-schoolers, a Harvard University study indicates.

Barbara Chisholm of Ryerson Open College told an early-education conference of 300 teachers the study of preschool children at Harvard involved two groups of mothers and children. In the group where the children made the most progress, some of the mothers even had part-time jobs.

"Maybe we're about to get off the back of the mother who wants to be something else than just mother earth," said Miss Chisholm.

In the meantime, birds continue to take up winter residence on the land.

"That is the important thing," said Mrs. Moehl. "Regardless of what the council decides, we have the land under control. It will be preserved."

household objects to play with.

She said mothers in the second group were protective and ruled many things and areas out of bounds.

Eintan Kavanagh of the National Institute on Mental Retardation urged integration of the handicapped with other children.

"If we do not integrate, we are presenting the problem of handicapped being with handicapped," he said.

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Magnet Eased Leg Cramps

TORONTO (CP) — Dr. Helen Evans Reid, a pediatrician and official at the Hospital for Sick Children, says severe leg cramps were eased by sleeping with a magnet in

her bed. For years she was troubled by muscle cramps, but now "whenever I feel a cramp coming, I just move my leg over the magnet and by the time I count five, I'm asleep," she says.

Land Buyers Foil Developer

NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE, Ont. (CP) — A group of conservation and history-minded citizens in this Niagara Peninsula community have prevented construction of an apartment building by buying the site from the would-be developer.

The four-acre lot has long been a winter haven for birds.

The citizens' group, led by Herman and Helma Moehl, two conservationists who live on the property adjacent to the site of the proposed apartment, raised the \$25,000 necessary to acquire the lot.

The area, described by Gus Yaki, southern Ontario field representative for the Federation of Ontario Naturalists as "a rather unique spot," consists of both open field and dense bush.

The bush attracts many migratory birds in winter, including the rare tufted titmouse, as well as robins and hermit thrushes, not normally seen in Ontario during winter.

The Moehls use up to 50 pounds of bird seed a week in their feeders to nourish the visitors.

The land, preserved as parkland for many years, was sold to Henry Klassen, a real estate man, in 1969 but a 1968 bylaw froze development on the property.

Municipal council last August approved changes in the bylaw to allow construction of the apartment. Residents were told they had two weeks in which to object to the proposed change before approval was sought from the Ontario Municipal Board. Forty-three residents filed letters of protest.

In addition to their concern for the preservation of the area from a naturalist's viewpoint, the group also wished to retain the historic character of the old town.

Then the residents learned that the bylaw in question had never been registered with the OMB and as a result, previously existing bylaws would

have allowed construction of the apartment all along.

"We were told the town could not refuse to grant Mr. Klassen a building permit if he sought one," Mrs. Moehl said, and it appeared the group would have to seek a court injunction to block the development.

"Then we thought, 'Isn't there a better way?'"

Moehl reached Klassen in an attempt to purchase the lot. A price of \$25,000 was agreed upon and the agree-

ment was signed. The group was given less than two weeks to raise the money.

Hoping to turn the area into a wildlife sanctuary, the group approached municipal council for \$18,000 of the \$25,000. But council turned down the request.

With only four days left, the Moehls finally managed to find guarantors for the \$25,000.

Ownership is registered with the Moehls, who hold it in trust for the residents.

The group plans to approach municipal council again concerning the prospects of the town buying the property so that it might be developed as a publicly-owned sanctuary.

In the meantime, birds continue to take up winter residence on the land.

"That is the important thing," said Mrs. Moehl. "Regardless of what the council decides, we have the land under control. It will be preserved."

Woman Pilot Appointed Civil Defence Air Chief

Victoria pilot Betty Wadsworth was appointed this week the Victoria zone air service chief for the provincial civil defence.

At the last count, made in 1968, there were 78 pilots and 22 aircraft in the zone, which encompasses Vancouver Island and the Powell River area.

With 15 years' flying experience, Mrs. Wadsworth is British Columbia provincial director of the Canadian Owners' and Pilots' Association, which has 1,000 members. She is also Victoria flight captain of the COPA.

Mrs. Wadsworth, in her new appointment, is responsible for co-ordinating and organizing air service exercises for civil defence training.

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Women Plan China Tour

VANCOUVER (CP) — Fifteen Canadian women will make a three-week tour of China next March, sponsored by the University of B.C. centre of continuing education. Mary-Frank MacFarlane, director of language programs for the centre, said: "There is a great interest among Canadian women in contemporary modes of living in China."

NORTH SUICIDES SOAR

YELLOWKNIFE (CP) — White culture's intrusion into northern Indian and Eskimo communities has resulted in a soaring suicide rate, the Northwest Territories' council was told.

"We have in the past year seen a great increase in suicides among our people with no apparent pattern," elected councillor Lena Pederson said. Mrs. Pederson is an Eskimo from Coppermine on the Arctic coast.

She said feeling of unhappiness was growing throughout the native population in response of the social upheavals of recent years. More people also were appearing in courts on liquor and drug offences.

Camosun College students have asked the provincial government to intervene in the Canadian Union of Public Employees strike against the Greater Victoria school board.

Spokesman Robert C. Hall said a petition has been submitted to Education Minister Eileen Dailly, asking the government to settle the strike immediately in view of hardships it is causing students at the college which rents custodial services from the school board.

There are 1,500 students taking day and night courses at the college. In addition there are some 20,000 citizens taking recreational courses.

Hall said some students have been forced to drop out because they can't keep their jobs and attend night classes. The academic courses have been re-scheduled from day to

night pending settlement of the strike.

"Many students who have arranged for shift work with their employers to finance their schooling are now faced with the choice of losing their jobs or the education," he said.

"Some married women, with children in school, must also withdraw, or pay a baby-sitter," he added. "They can't afford to pay a baby-sitter while attending classes at night."

He also noted that a large number of students are "in the impossible position of coping with course loads divided between a portable annex at Camosun, and the vocational school on Interurban."

"They attend a half-hour class at the annex of Camosun — the only heated building on the campus," he explained. "Then they have to travel to Interurban voca-

tional school to continue their course at night. For some students it means four hours of travelling daily."

Hall noted that college students have paid regular fees for courses.

"We are not taking sides in this dispute," said Hall. "But we say members of the school board and the strikers have no right to make use of us as pawns in a game."

Gordon Hartley, director of student services, confirmed that some students are dropping out due to economic hardships caused by the strike.

"We haven't compiled any figures," he said. "We will know better when the strike is over."

While Camosun College is not under direct jurisdiction of the school board, Hartley said the college is "caught in a bind" because its rental

agreement with the school board which includes the buildings and grounds maintenance.

"If we didn't rent these services, we would be operating as usual," he said. "It's most

unfortunate. Many students are losing out economically. Some have had to sacrifice their part-time jobs in order to attend classes now held at different hours and locations."

Province Asked to Halt Strike

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JAIL ALTERNATIVE STUDY PROPOSED

VANCOUVER (CP) — The provincial government should undertake a study of alternatives to jailing lawbreakers, the British Columbia Corrections Association said in a brief presented Tuesday to a government task force on corrections.

The brief recommends setting up a committee to look into non-custodial penalties such as extended use of fines, community service work programs, intermittent custody in decentralized facilities, and direct compensation to crime victims.

"Evidence clearly indicates that in many cases, imprisonment does not carry out the intent of the courts," the brief said, "namely to protect society, deter others and rehabilitate the offender. It appears alternatives must be developed."

Council Wants Ward System

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Valleyview council has decided to ask for a permanent ward system to be established after the greater Kamloops area amalgamates May 1.

Kamloops Indians Plan Protest

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Supporters of Kamloops Indian band chief-elect Norman La Rue said they plan to begin a protest occupation of Indians affairs offices here, installation of La Rue and three band councillors was postponed by the Indian affairs department pending a decision on a protest against their Dec. 21 election.

B.C. Senator Launches Suit

VANCOUVER (CP) — Senator Edward M. Lawson started a Supreme Court action Tuesday against Pat Burns, Jess Succamore, and Jim Pattison Broadcasting Ltd. for alleged libel or slander.

Lawson seeks damages for libel or slander he alleges took place last Aug. 31 on Pat Burns' "hot line" program on Vancouver radio station CJOR.

200 Pounds of Hashish Seized

HOPE (CP) — Police Tuesday arrested two Americans after seizing 200 pounds of hashish hidden in a camper truck.

Police said the hashish, valued at \$700,000 arrived aboard the liner Arcadia in Vancouver last week from Portugal. Barry Kenneth Spoonover, 24, of Lemon Grove, Calif., and Cynthia Ann Rickert, 23, of San Diego, Calif., were charged with possession of hashish for the purpose of trafficking and with importing drugs.

Road Reconstruction to Start

VANCOUVER (CP) — Federal public works spokesmen said Tuesday tenders for reconstruction of 157 miles of the Alaska Highway in British Columbia will be called early in February. One 24-mile section 180 miles north of Fort St. John is to be straightened. The highway runs 624 miles across northeastern B.C.

Witness Denies Meeting Accused

QUESNEL (CP) — The man said to have been in the company of Charles David Garry Head at the time of the disappearance of Tanya Busch denied Tuesday that he had ever met the accused.

Head is on trial for the non-capital murder of the seven-year-old girl, who disappeared near Charles Dickens elementary in Vancouver between 8:30 a.m. and 8:45 a.m. June 2.

Roland Trudel of West Vancouver, who described himself as a publisher of a travel magazine, said he had not met Head and did not know anyone of that name.

In replying to questions from defence counsel Ray Paris, he admitted a considerable crime record.

Earlier in other evidence, friends of Head, Richard and Elizabeth Frick, testified that the accused asked them to give him an alibi for the period 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. June 2.

Two students from Charles Dickens school said they saw Tanya with a man about 8:30 a.m. June 2. They were not giving evidence under oath.

Elsie Haydu, 9, said the man was wearing brown pants, a white T-shirt and a green shirt, Nancy Flood, 11, said he wore blue jeans, a white T-shirt and a blue jean jacket.

Mrs. Annette Head, mother of the accused, said her son drove her to a shopping centre at 7 a.m. June 2 so she

could pick up a ride to work. After she returned home at about 4:30 p.m., he rented a car and went out in it, she said.

When he came back about 11:20 p.m., she said she told him she had heard on the news that a little girl had disappeared.

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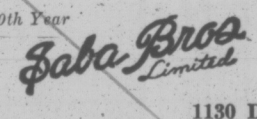
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Leak Knocks Out Library Auditorium

The new Victoria-Saanich Centennial library on Seymour has a water leakage problem that has knocked out use of its auditorium and other space on the lower floor.

Library board director Donald Miller told the Greater Victoria Public Library's board Tuesday that as much as 40 gallons of water is being mopped up from the floor every weekend.

Miller said the cause of the

problem has not been found and suggested the water table in the area may be higher than was thought or there may be a storm sewer in the area that is not functioning.

"It is a serious problem," he said, "it could mean that we'll have to tear up the floor in there."

Locations for a second library in Saanich, probably in the Shelbourne or McKenzie area, were studied by the board.

Miller told them of three possibilities for rental — St. Dunstan's church hall at the corner of San Juan and Tyn-dall, a building proposed to be built on Shelbourne, between Garnet and McKenzie; another building to be built on McKenzie east of Shelbourne.

He also reported on the possibility of renting portable classrooms from the Greater Victoria School Board.

"They wouldn't really be ideal for a library," Miller explained, "but on a tempo-

rary basis they are something to be considered."

Miller said the cost of moving, hooking up to B.C. Hydro, water and sewage would be \$6,000.

Esquimalt Ald. Art Meis asked, "Wouldn't it be more advisable to build, rather than pay high rents?"

He suggested the board should take advantage of federal works program grants for this and was told that the library is not allowed to own buildings and that, if this

course was taken, it would have to be taken by Saanich.

Chairman Brian Tobin said, "It is sound policy to rent, rather than build when moving into a new location."

Tobin also observed that renting space in the two buildings suggested, but not yet started, would complicate matters.

"If the place is built for us we'll be permanent tenants. We wouldn't have the mobility to move say to Gordon Head." The board decided to pursue

all locations presented, as well as property belonging to former Saanich alderman Ed Lum on Shelbourne and the present site of the Shelbourne firehall.

The board rejected a suggestion by realtor C. J. Harrington that the old Victoria Press building on Douglas be bought for \$675,000 as a replacement for the main library on Blanshard.

Miller said, "It is not suitable for a library. It's a bad building and a bad location."

BRITISH AIRWAYS ABSORBS BEA, BOAC

LONDON (UPI) — The British Airways board said today the name British Airways will replace the names British Overseas Airways Corporation and British European Airways in the future. The board said in a report that the two airlines will

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UIC Changes Claimed Too Negative

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian Labor Congress said Tuesday there are more negative than positive aspects to the Unemployment Insurance Act changes proposed last week by Manpower Minister Robert Andras.

"While at first glance the proposals do not appear to affect the rights of bona fide claimants, they may well pose a potential threat when ultimately implemented," CLC President Donald MacDonald said in a news release.

He said the amendments were brought forward by the government to appease the backlash caused by partisan critics who overemphasized the cost and abuse aspects of the unemployment insurance system.

The amendments would cut off benefits to persons who quit work "without just cause" or are fired for "misconduct."

They would also apply to persons out of work who refuse new jobs "without good cause" when the jobs meet unemployment insurance commission standards of "suitability and availability."

The qualifying phrases in the amendments have yet to be clearly defined by the government.

MacDonald said there is "no justification whatsoever" to statements that unemployment insurance abuse is rampant. On the contrary, he said, government statistics indicate the reverse is true.

It appears, he said, that the government is prepared to "make scapegoats of the unemployed" rather than risk its precarious political position by attempting to come to grips with the real cause of the controversy — unemployment.



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Chief Come-It Has Died

David McMillan of 3841 Holland Ave. — a man who made his own special effort to promote understanding between Indians and whites — died Tuesday.

McMillan, who was 66, for many years organized and provided food for an annual potlatch for Indians and whites.

For his efforts he was given the title of Chief Come-It, by Indian legend a man who gave of himself for others, by the Indians of southern Vancouver Island.

Indian chiefs, police chiefs, politicians and religious leaders sat down at the annual banquet of clam chowder, shrimp salad, and smoked and baked fish, all provided

Sidney Seeks Aid On Drains

Sidney council will apply for federal help to complete the town's storm drains because construction costs have risen by more than 60 per cent in five years.

Mayor Stan Dear said Monday night that an \$83,000 loan would enable the 10-year program started in 1972 to be completed much sooner and would result in a saving of \$63,000 annually.

By agreement with the Pollution Control Board, the town had undertaken to separate storm water from the new sanitary sewer system now almost ready for operation.

Mayor Dear said, however, that the cost of building storm drains is rising 11 per cent annually.

The mayor is concerned about the "alarming rate" at which municipal expenditures increased although sources of revenue other than taxes do not keep pace.

"The per capita grant has risen from \$24 in 1967 to \$37 in 1970 where it has stayed," said Dear. "During the same period, however, costs of labor and materials have risen by over 60 per cent. The municipal mill rate is being forced upward so that it is more than doubling every six years."

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Jazz Great Dies at 86 people



HONOLULU — Edward "Kid" Ory, legendary trombonist of Dixieland jazz who composed "Muskrat Ramble" and "Savoy Blues," died Tuesday at the age of 86.

"His heart just gave out," said his wife, Barbara. Ory had been hospitalized for two weeks with pneumonia.

Ory, perhaps the greatest Dixieland slide trombonist of all time, had been living in Hawaii since 1966.

The part-Creole composer had a jazz career that spanned almost 70 years. He was born on Christmas Day, 1886, in Laplace, La., and got his first job at the age of 10.

Ory grew up in the bawdy Storyville district of New Orleans in the era of Buddy Bolden, one of the first of the modern jazzmen. Many jazz giants, including Louis Armstrong and Joe "King" Oliver, got their first jobs in an Ory band.

VANCOUVER — Senator Ed Lawson said Tuesday he has submitted his resignation as Canadian director of the Teamsters Union.

He said he could not make any comment on his move until the international execu-

tive board of the international union acts on it.

He said he is still an international vice-president and will continue as president of the joint council covering British Columbia.



LAWSON
steps down

ATHENS — Alexandros Onassis, 24-year-old son of shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis, died in an Athens hospital today from injuries received in an air crash Monday.

He suffered severe brain damage when a light plane he was piloting crashed seconds after it took off from Athens Airport.

ROME — J. Paul Getty III has been released from jail and disorderly conduct charges against the grandson of oil billionaire J. Paul Getty have been dismissed. Arrested Friday during clashes between police and leftist youths demonstrating against the Fascist party congress, Getty claimed he was not a participant, only a passer-by.

Leary was back "home" today — in the California prison camp from which he escaped 28 months ago — and faced charges of breaking jail and dope smuggling.

Leary, 51, unsuccessfully sought asylum in half a dozen countries on three continents, but was finally taken into custody by a U.S. narcotics agent in Kabul, Afghanistan and returned to the United States last week. He faced trial on escape charges first, then on the smuggling counts. Prison camp officials said Leary was placed in a "restricted housing" section, not the minimum security area from which he escaped.

TOLEDO, Ohio — Former NASA scientist Dr. Werner Von Braun Tuesday said "it

would be reasonable to expect more money will be spent on the space program now that the Vietnam war is ending.

"But the space program has always competed with other worthy programs and I expect it will continue to operate in a pinch like all the others," he said. Von Braun said he quit the program because there was a lack of money to implement plans and when "plans become dated, they become stale."

BATON ROUGE, La. — Lt. Gov. James Fitzmorris said Tuesday the recent U.S. Supreme Court ruling throwing out anti-abortion laws in two states "can lead to the destruction of our moral fibre as a nation."

"I deplore this ruling by the supreme court on legalized abortion and urge every citizen to prayerfully consider the moral and psychological consequences of such an act," Fitzmorris said.

KITZINGEN, West Germany (AP) — A Canadian corporal rescued two United States army soldiers from their burning armored personnel carrier at a NATO field manoeuvre, military authorities reported Tuesday.

The Americans — an officer and a sergeant — were trapped inside the flaming vehicle Saturday night by camouflaged canvas and netting blocking the escape hatch.

Cpl. Robert Neilson of Saint John, N.B., who was sleeping nearby, was awakened by a fire alarm and ran to the aid of the Americans.

"He jumped onto the vehicle, pulled the netting off the hatch, opened it and pulled the officer and sergeant out," a Canadian spokesman said.

Neilson is assigned to the Canadian 4th Mechanized Battle Group. The Americans whose names were not available, belong to the U.S. 1st Squadron, 1st Armored Cavalry Regiment.

Canadian Capt. Barry Ham-

ilton of Paris, Ont., also had a prominent role in the rescue operation, near the southern west German town of Bellheim.

Noting that the vehicle was parked next to a barn filled with nitrate fertilizer, Hamilton "opened the back door of

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Music from The Godfather movie played in the background as the gum-chewing bride sniffed back tears and exchanged her vows with Chris Calvin Williams.

Williams, 21, stood stolidly beside her.

Williams pleaded guilty to charges of assault to murder his 22-year-old fiancée during a quarrel at a Miami shopping centre last June.

The bride had earlier told Circuit Judge Alphonso Sepe at a hearing that she would not testify against Williams.

The judge told Williams that when sentence is considered next month "I may put you in jail for 15 years."

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The \$500,000 Aqua Tech plant is designed to produce one million pounds of activated carbon a year, one-ninth of Canada's annual consumption. A staff of 12 works at the plant in the initial stages of production.

Activated carbon is a porous material which absorbs gas, liquid and solid impurities.

It is used to decolorize, deodorize and filter air and water. It also is used in producing al-

coholic beverages and cigarette filters, processing sugar, dry cleaning, plasticizing and electroplating.

Research is being conducted into the utilization of activated carbon to turn waste water into drinking water.

The plant here uses coal from Canmore, pulverizing it through a high-temperature reactor into different grades of activated carbon.

Activated carbon may also be produced from woodchips, bones and grain husks.

New Airport For Calgary

OTTAWA (CP) — A new \$57.7 million air terminal for Calgary Airport was announced Tuesday by the transport department.

The announcement said the new terminal, to be built on the northeast side of the present International Airport, will be capable of handling up to two million passengers a year, and will be designed to allow for future expansion.

Projections show that by 1980 the airport will be handling 3.1 million passengers a year and by the year 2,000 this will rise to 13.5 million.

Market Study Fund

REGINA (CP) — The Saskatchewan department of agriculture has established a market development fund of \$100,000. Agriculture Minister Jack Messer has announced.

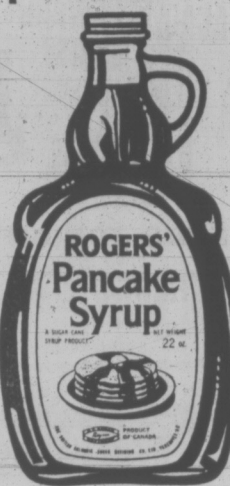
Messer said the money would be available on a cost-sharing basis to marketing boards, marketing commissions, agriculture commodity organizations, corporations and co-operatives for the purpose of identifying potential markets.

Dancer Charged

EDMONTON (CP) — Myrna Greene, exotic dancer and modelling school operator, was committed to stand trial on a charge of procuring people to commit sexual acts.

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Barrett Promises Early Word on Oil Talks

Representatives of four oil companies met for two hours Tuesday with Premier Barrett, who later told reporters the subject of discussion was fuel prices.

But Barrett refused to comment on the talks, other than to promise that he would be making a "definitive statement" next Tuesday.

Similar reluctance to reveal the subject matter of the meeting was shown by Ronald S. Ritchie, senior vice-president of Imperial Oil Ltd., who had flown in from Toronto.

But, in answer to a question, Ritchie said: "I don't anticipate any price action."

Asked why an announcement of any development was delayed until next Tuesday,

Ritchie replied: "Sometimes you have to think." He added, however, that he doesn't expect to meet Barrett or with his own directors.

The premier's only explanation was: "We have discussed some things and the oil companies need some time and we need some time." A further meeting would be held next week, he said.

Barrett was asked if his announcement could take the form of a statement to the legislature — which starts its spring session Thursday — and he replied "perhaps."

Also at the meeting were officials of Standard Oil, Gulf Oil and Shell Canada Ltd.

Barrett said earlier this month he had asked for a meeting with Imperial Oil representatives, and it was expected he would discuss announcements of pending fuel price increases by Imperial and other companies.

The premier declined at the time to comment on whether the government would proclaim legislation passed by the former Social Credit administration which would give the provincial government the power to control prices of fuel in B.C.



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Appeal Rejected In Arson Case

After a two-day hearing in Vancouver last week the B.C. Appeal Court has turned down an appeal against the conviction of a 54-year-old Esquimalt man found guilty of arson last year.

Gordon Allen McLaughlin, formerly of 1355 Lyall, was convicted by a county court jury last May in connection with a fire at the Fleet Club at CFB Esquimalt in October, 1971.

He was sentenced to four years in prison by Judge M. L. T. Brake.

An appeal against the sentence will be heard later.

Park Rents Going Up

CORNWALL, Ont. (CP) — Residential and commercial land rental in Canada's national parks will be raised commencing April 1, J. Jacques Seguin, regional director of the national parks branch of the Indian affairs and northern development department announced today.

Most leases provide for a review of land rental fees every 10 years. However, increases proposed for 1970 were deferred until an appraisal review board could examine work done by independent appraisers and hear lessee presentations.

All lessees will receive letters by Feb. 15 setting out their new individual land rental rates. The new rates are "more realistically reflecting the value of the land," while the present fees are "nominal," Mr. Seguin said in a statement.

Mr. Seguin also stated that Northern Affairs Minister Jean Chretien will review individual cases where increased land rentals create financial hardships.

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City Employees' Pay Gap Claimed

Public employees in Greater Victoria are falling behind their goal of obtaining wages comparable to those in the manufacturing industry, the Canadian Union of Public Employees said Tuesday.

Figures compiled by the union's research department show Greater Victoria has the biggest gap between municipal labor rates and average hourly wages in manufacturing in a comparison involving 19 major Canadian municipalities.

The union is currently renegotiating contracts with Greater Victoria municipalities and is on strike against the Greater Victoria School District.

CUPE said a Victoria municipal laborer earned \$3.58 an hour last September, \$1.07 less than the average manufacturing rate.

Since 1966, the union said, the gap has nearly doubled from 56.5 cents hourly to \$1.07.

The gap is 27 cents an hour greater than Regina, second highest to Victoria in the comparison.

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His Job: Building Trust

By DAVID MAY
Times Staff

Staff-Sgt. Ray Nelson dislikes the term "peacemaker" attached to his duties as liaison officer with B.C.'s native Indians.

But today the 25-year RCMP veteran is in Port Hardy, confident he can find "immediate solutions" to the problems besetting the community's relations with the police.

Trouble broke out at the beginning of January when three 13-year-old boys were fingerprinted in their principal's office, following a break-in at Port Hardy high school.

The boys were later cleared of any connection with the offence but parental agreement

had not been obtained for the fingerprinting.

Eight juveniles were fingerprinted by Campbell River RCMP following the break-in. Attorney-General Alex Macdonald has since ordered the prints destroyed after a protest by parents and Gomox MLA Karen Sanford.

Six of the juveniles involved in the incident were Indians. Nelson didn't know of his Port Hardy assignment until he read it in the paper, he said in an interview Tuesday.

But the RCMP officer is used to sudden moves. Since he became liaison officer last April, he has been dispatched on short notice to several other B.C. communities to settle local disputes with the police.

Last fall the number of ju-

veniles being charged in Port St. James was a matter of concern for the RCMP. Nelson went to the town and quickly came up with the idea of a mothers' committee to work with local welfare groups.

It worked and juvenile cases in court dropped appreciably.

In Port St. John, in the same year, one problem noted by Nelson was the lack of qualified drivers on the local Indian reserve.

He was instrumental in starting an RCMP-sponsored driver instruction course.

Children playing in the streets because they had nothing else to do also were a problem for the police as the young people gravitated towards the local hotels. A com-

munity centre has since been started and an appeal for sports equipment met with an enthusiastic response, says the policeman who started the ball rolling.

Although he has visited Port Hardy before, the present problems there are unknown to the plainclothes officer.

He dislikes "filling himself with background data," he says. He has no specific agenda for his visit, and says he will stay there "as long as he is needed."

Nelson denies that there is any material connection between the high school break-in and his trip to Port Hardy. That incident is in the province of the local RCMP detachment, he says.

As far as Nelson, honorary member of the Terrace



NELSON
to Port Hardy

chapter of the B.C. Association of Non-Status Indians, is concerned, the Port Hardy assignment is just another chance to get together with the local chiefs and talk roller skates, ice hockey and driver instruction.

Union President Welcomes Challenge

DUNCAN — Fernie Viala feels that he is in one of the "rare positions where I can really help people."

Viala, 40, in November was elected president of the 4,000-member International Woodworkers of America Local 1-80.

He replaced Weldon Jubenville, who was president for 10 years until he resigned to run unsuccessfully for a regional position.

Although unions will always fight for better wages, working conditions and shorter work hours, Viala said his main objective as president is to see that the membership gets the most for its money.

"I don't feel that a large pay cheque is any good if it doesn't help the man and family," he said.

Three election promises Viala is working on are: to retain an income tax expert for the use of the membership; to attain lower home and fire insurance costs and to establish a co-op store.

The income tax expert will start at the IWA hall in Duncan in mid-February, Viala said.

"He will be available to any IWA member at a minimal

cost for advice or assistance in making out income tax forms," Viala said. "It will help employees have savings where possible."

Lower insurance costs, Viala hopes to bring in by the summer.

"We are currently negotiating for a group plan for house fire and theft and comprehensive insurance," Viala noted.

"There is an indication that we can save members between five to 10 per cent." The union eventually plans to expand the plan so that any member of the community can join.

Viala said it will be several more months before a co-op is set up in this area because "it is much more complicated." "Most of our pay cheques are spent on shelter and food," he said.



VIALA

The union hopes to save its membership and other people in the community up to 18 per cent in groceries and household hardware by joining a co-operative in an attempt to eliminate the middle man.

Although the facility will be available to everyone in the community, Viala feels that it is "our responsibility as a union to spearhead the concept and get it going."

"We already have agencies going through the necessary channels to set it up."

Viala said that "we have been so stupid all these years to pay for five-minute television commercials and full page ads by big businesses. The cost is just added to the product."

The union hopes to help set up one central store in the area and eventually expand to

other areas under its jurisdiction.

Viala, also executive board member for his local on the regional executive board and a member of the coast negotiating committee, said there are many other areas he can help his membership.

"I always get a feeling of satisfaction when I help get a member out of trouble," he said.

Rites Held For Cleric

Funeral services were held Monday for Rev. Robert Garner Thompson, 77, who worked with the elderly and shut-ins as visiting minister for First United Church until last spring.

The service was conducted by Rev. Hugh Hunter, assisted by Dr. Scott Leith, present visiting minister, Dr. Albert King, chairman of Victoria Prebrytry, and the Very Rev. Dr. Hugh McLeod, former moderator of the United Church.

A native of Ontario, Thompson graduated from Victoria University and Victoria Theological College in Toronto before taking up his ministry in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

He was a veteran of the First World War, serving with the 14th Royal Warwickshire Regiment at Vimy Ridge.

He is survived by his wife Evelyn, two sons, Rev. Murray Thompson of Vancouver and Barrie Thompson of Edmonton, and daughter Mrs. Carl Prunkl of Victoria.

Flood Damage Assessments Studied

DUNCAN — Assessments of flood damage in the Cowichan Valley during the Christmas holidays will be wrapped up by the end of January, flood assessors headquarters said today.

The spokesmen, for Canadian Independent Adjusters Conference, said that 115 applications have been received. Estimated total damage is \$115,000. Flooding occurred mainly in the Beverley-Heather streets in North Cowichan and Lang Street, Chemainus.

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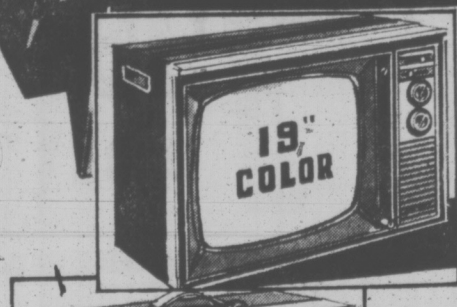
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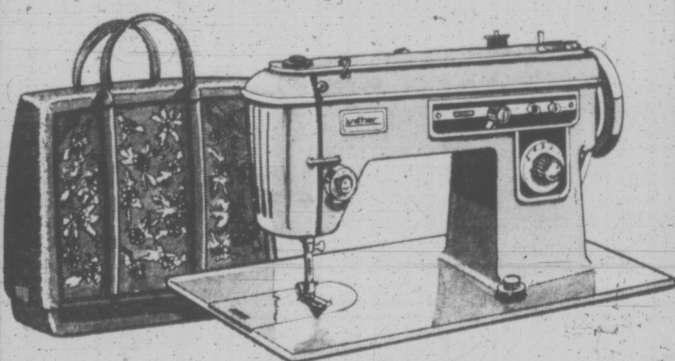
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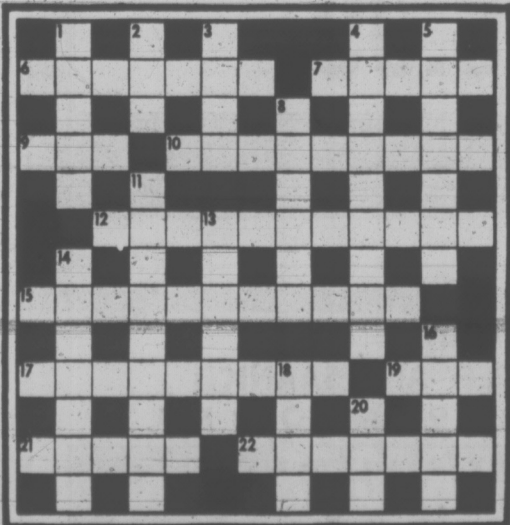
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| ACROSS | 18 Plot | 4 Colossus |
| 7 Next to nothing | 20 Throttle | 5 Chalet |
| 8 Cockatoo | 22 Booking office | 6 Snow |
| 9 Lawn | | 11 Lighting |
| 10 Patrol | DOWN | 13 Forelock |
| 12 Set off | 1 Desolate | 15 Intake |
| 14 Sewing | 2 Stoker | 17 Notify |
| 16 Sentry | 3 Bolt | 19 Loom |
| | | 21 Rook |
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| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 6 Make trouble about rider's start — he's put his foot in it! (7) | 1 Bet on the post... (5) |
| 7 No easy chairs for the magistrates (5) | 2 ... partly parcel post, part of circle (3) |
| 9 Spin out either way (3) | 3 Youngsters; we hear, makes a mark on the water (4) |
| 10 They are strange merits, yes? (9) | 4 Damage neat point in notch (9) |
| 12 Secure an article with it (and obtain it for selling feathers?) (4, 7) | 5 Projects and protects — from... (7) |
| 15 Shopkeeper may have to do it, if there has been some! (5-6) | 8 ... assault at strategical move, perhaps (6) |
| 17 Somehow, ice squares lose right to submit (9) | 11 Study series of lectures in large hall (9) |
| 19 Bark returning in middle of (12 (3) | 13 Cook has a grater need for it! (6) |
| 21 Behaviour of the fellows, we hear (5) | 14 Bill-poster may, but it's illegal by road (5, 2) |
| 22 Cart nevertheless reversing round the register (7) | 16 Vacillate, like someone bidding goodbye? (5, 2) |
| | 18 & 20 Dn. Universal remedy has universal head in collar arrangement (4-3) |



SOLUTION THURSDAY

GARDENING
hilda beastallAbundant Material Here
For Show 'Creators'

Schedules for this year's flower shows will soon be appearing as thickly as spring sales. Each year they signal "action" to the devoted creators of artistic flower arrangements.

Many dedicated arrangers take off to remote beaches and forests in their search for material which will be unique in portraying a suggested theme.

Other combine their searching with a holiday in more tropical parts than Victoria, returning with exotic seedpods, as well as fresh and dried plant material.

Those who stay home often look for, and find, substitutes for material suggested in design books by writers in eastern cities with access to Florida and Panama exotics, or those written in more southern coastal regions of the Pacific.

Pittosporum tobira is frequently mentioned in foliage arrangements. It is a shiny leaved, dark green evergreen with leaves in a terminal whorl.

An excellent substitute is our Daphne laureola when grown in a shady spot even under trees. Its greenish winter flowers are fragrant after dusk.

An acceptable substitute for Galax leaves, grown extensively in eastern U.S. is our Bergenia cordifolia. This has been variously classified as Saxifraga cordifolia and Megasea, but anyway, the leaves are well known, round, dark green, shiny, waxy, and beautifully veined.

Five or six inches across, these handsome leaves may easily be trimmed to required sizes and shapes with scissors. They last well in winter without any special treatment and are available almost every day of the year from our local gardens.

Podocarpus is another shrub we often see demonstrated in arrangement design books. This has long slender branches of narrow leaves making airy shadows on background walls with appropriate lighting.

A shrub grown here with practically identical appearance is Callistemon brachyandrus or C. speciosus. Known as Bottlebrush when it flowers, from its tufts of crimson stamens, the roots are hardy enough in well drained soil though the branches were frozen to snowline in 1968-69.

The narrow pointed Yucca leaves are highly prized by arrangers and the plants are perfectly hardy here. The dried flower stems, four feet in height and much branches, become quite woody and bleached, making them desirable for use with driftwood.

Even Horsetail, Equisetum, the pest of clay soil gardeners, finds a place in modern designs. In California it is grown in tubs as an ornament presumably, though it might be supposed the women arrangers of the garden clubs had a hand in the popularization of this northern weed.

There's no limit as to what can be used in modern abstract designs, and substitute plants that grow here can be useful in providing that extra something which catches the judges' attention.

The Bridge Expert

By FRED KARPIN

How would you feel if declarer made game and rubber by first taking a successful finesse through you for the queen of clubs, and two tricks later taking a successful finesse through your partner for the same queen of clubs?

Such a thing couldn't happen, you would say? Well, you'd be wrong. It did happen some years ago to the late David Bruce. Bruce, incidentally, was known during the 1930s as David Burnstine. When the rank of Life Master was established in 1936, Burnstine, who had won 23 national titles in seven years, became Life Master No. 1 — and there were no objections to his ranking. He was considered to be the best.

Burnstine's contribution to bridge theory were of major importance. In the early 1930s, he invented the strong, artificial, game-forcing opening bid of two in a suit. And in 1935 he co-authored the "Four Aces System," which revolutionized no-trump bidding.

Both sides vulnerable. North-South has a part score of 40.

North deals.

NORTH
♠ Q 8 3
♥ A 10 7 4
♦ A 8 3
♣ A J 5

WEST
♠ 10 7 5 2
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ K J 6 5
♣ 9

SOUTH
♠ A
♥ 8 5 3
♦ 9 7 4 2
♣ K 10 8 3 2

The bidding:
North East South West
1♥ Pass 1NT Pass
2NT Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Two of ♠.

Burnstine, sitting West, elected to open the two spades, and East's nine was taken by declarer's singleton ace. To trick two, declarer led the deuce of clubs and put up dummy's jack when West followed with the nine.

For some unknown reason,

East chose not to take the jack with the queen. Declarer then cashed the ace of clubs, West discarding a diamond. Dummy's five of clubs was led next, East played the seven and declarer successfully finessed his eight. The king of clubs now felled East's queen and eight tricks were there for the taking: five clubs and three side aces.

Had East taken his club queen at trick two, there would have been no way for declarer to have made more than seven tricks, resulting in a one-trick set.

After Burnstine had moved to the West Coast in 1939, he made few appearances in major tournaments. Possibly the memory of what happened to him in today's deal was instrumental in bringing about his retirement.

FUN WITH
FIGURES

By J. A. H. HUNTER

Sam placed the packet on the heap beside him. "That's enough for now," he said. "Folks don't appreciate fine tea like they did."

"Maybe not, but what's the blend you've been making up?" asked Ted. "I see you'll sell it at 64 cents a pound."

"That's right. Pure lapsang and cooling," replied the old man. "The cooling costs me 47 cents a pound and the lapsang 34 cents, and my mark up is only 60 per cent."

What was the ratio in his blend?

Thanks for idea to J. H. Varley, King's Lynn, England. (Answer tomorrow).

Yesterday's answer: SALLY was 28443.

Wrong Ingredients

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration has announced the nationwide recall of about 20,000 individually-packaged ginger-breadmen cookies it said are contaminated with mouse droppings. The cookies, manufactured by Federal Bake Shops Inc. of Cincinnati, were distributed between Dec. 18 and Jan. 3, the FDA said.

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Piped 'Food' Gives Her a Normal Life

Washington Post
WASHINGTON — Jan Ann Westerink, 11-years-old, may never eat another meal in her life.

All but a bit of her food, is a liquid in a plastic purse that she wears for 16 hours a day. Her food flows through one of her veins into the heart, to be pumped through the body to keep her alive.

The process works so well that Jan Ann — fitted with her new feeding apparatus at the Medical College of Virginia returned to school in Rockaway, N.J., last week and skated on a pond across the street from her house after school. Her mother says she is "doing just perfect."

The apparatus, designed at MCV by Dr. David Hume and co-workers, means new hope to a very special group of people.

Jan Ann is one of 20 persons in the United States and Canada who are now surviving, and surviving well, even though surgeons have had to remove all but a few feet of their intestines to save their lives.

Until last November, Jan Ann Westerink, daughter of Jan and Tina Westerink, was, seemingly, a completely healthy girl. Unknown to anyone, however, she had been born with a "malrotated bowel," a birth defect in which part of the intestinal tract becomes abnormally twisted.

Last November the twisting somehow became more severe; the intestine twisted over on itself, cut off its own blood supply and died. In the early morning of Nov. 10, a puzzlingly sick Jan Ann was rushed to Denville, N.J. hospital.

Less than 24 hours later, surgeons removed all, but a few feet of her entire intestinal tract. They left only the duodenum (the first part of the long, narrow "small intestine," which carries food away from the stomach) and half of her broad "large intestine" or colon, where elimination takes place.

Jan was kept alive by intravenous feeding; liquids, dripped into her veins to replace the solid meals that she

could no longer digest. Her doctors then sent her to the Medical College of Virginia, one of the world's leading transplantation centers, in the hope that surgeons could transplant in to her someone else's intestinal tract.

But intestinal grafts unlike kidney grafts, have never worked, although several have been tried. The intestinal tract is a long tube alive with bacteria, many of which are important in the digestive process.

Some years ago Dr. Stanley Dudrick of the University of Pennsylvania gradually developed two new approaches.

One was literally beefing up the nutrient liquid. He added proteins, amino acids, minerals and other chemicals to the normal glucose (or sugar and water mixture solution.) He greatly increased the amount of glucose too, devising what he called a "hyper-alimentation solution" — in other words nutrition plus.

Second, Dudrick — like doctors before him — introduced the fluid through a catheter threaded into a vein. But he

used a large vein in the shoulder or neck that leads directly to the heart — with a rapid flow of blood. In Jan Ann's case, for example, the fluid flows first into a vein in her neck.

The irritating fluid in this way is directed directly to the right upper chamber, the big receiving chamber, of the heart.

In this way it is quickly diluted and pumped throughout the body, before it can irritate a given vein.

The fluid was also placed in a plastic bag and attached to a two-pound pump with a rechargeable battery to make the whole thing portable.

And Jan Ann?

"She is just great," he says. "She's just as normal a little girl as you ever saw."

Asked, "Are you feeling all right?" Jan Ann herself answers: "Yup, I'm okay!"

No one knows just how many years a person can live in this way. One possible problem is infection at the site where the feeding catheter enters a vein.

Mrs. Westerink reports that

"the doctor said, 'I don't know how many years we can give her. I don't know if we can give her 10 years or 20. But in the meantime we may have something better.'"

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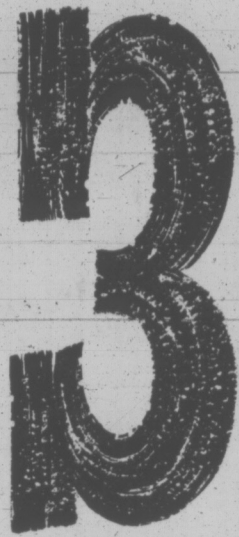
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who deem their interest in property affected by the following proposed by-laws will be afforded an opportunity to be heard before the Municipal Council on the matters contained therein at a Public Hearing to be held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, on MONDAY, January 29, 1973, commencing at 7:30 p.m.:

- (a) "Zoning By-law, 1972, Amendment By-law, 1973, No. 4" — to rezone the Easterly 420 feet of Lot 34, Section 54, Victoria District, Plan 20458, Thornhill Crescent, from Zone District P-3 (church) to Zoning District RS-2 (detached housing).
- (b) "Zoning By-law, 1972, Amendment By-law, 1973, No. 5" — to rezone Part of Lot A, containing approximately 1.25 acres, Section 56, Victoria District, Plan 23817, immediately east of 1550 Arrow Road, from Zone District RM-1 (apartment - low density) to Zone District RS-2 (detached housing).
- (c) "Zoning By-law, 1972, Amendment By-law, 1973, No. 6" — to rezone Lot 2, Section 57, Victoria District, Plan 14222, 398 Cedar Hill Road, from Zone District RS-2 (detached housing) to Zone District RM-2 (apartment - medium density).

A copy of the proposed by-laws may be inspected at the Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 1:00 o'clock p.m. and 2:00 o'clock p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on any weekday except Saturday or Statutory Holidays.

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Mace Compromise Going to Council

Alcohol Blamed In Death

Victoria city council will vote Thursday on a motion to accept a compromise 24-storey design for the Bay Village shopping centre.

The motion seeks to bypass the mayor, an opponent of the development, by ordering the city clerk to sign a land use contract and deed of variation with developer J. A. Mace.

If the motion is approved it will mean Mace can start work on the shopping centre in the heart of James Bay, at Simcoe and Mendzie, any time within three years. A public hearing would be staged within a few weeks.

Ald. Mike Young, seconded by Ald. Alf Hood, posted no-

tion of his motion today. It calls on council to accept "by way of compromise and settlement" a proposal submitted by Bay Village Shopping Centre Ltd. on Jan. 12.

The motion calls for a stay of Supreme Court proceedings whereby Mace is suing the city for stalling the development, which has been the subject of controversy because of objections from James Bay residents and the mayor's refusal to sign a contract.

The motion was announced only hours after James Bay Community Association disclosed that it had called on the provincial department of municipal affairs to conduct a

formal investigation of the shopping centre development.

Neither the minister nor his deputy were available for comment on the request.

Mayor Peter Pollen said today a newspaper report of Young's motion was "greatly exaggerated as to any resolutions."

"The matter has been discussed," he said in an interview, "and presumably a two-thirds majority in council will carry the vote."

"We must remember that the James Bay Association has asked for an investigation," the mayor said.

He would not comment on the possibility of invoking his legal power to delay the signing of a land use contract by 30 days.

"We'll just have to see," he said.

Thursday's council meeting has been brought forward to 10 a.m. because of the opening of the legislature at 3 p.m., council's usual starting time.

LADYSMITH — Speed and alcohol were blamed for the death of a 23-year-old Saltair man who died Jan. 27 after a two-car collision in Ladysmith Dec. 22.

A coroner's jury Tuesday ruled that Brian Kenneth Mulholland's death was unnatural and accidental.

The jury stated that if the vehicle had been travelling slower and the victim had not consumed so much alcohol, the accident would not have happened.

Ladysmith RCMP said Mulholland was driving on the TransCanada Highway, turned on to Bayview Road and was in collision with a vehicle driven by Ronald Kirk Mosdell, 16, of Ladysmith.

Mosdell was unhurt.

The jury recommended that the shoulder of the road, where the accident occurred, be kept in better condition and that seat belts be worn at all times.

Vets Not Happy With Allowances

It's a drop in the bucket and the wrong bucket.

This is the reaction of war veterans to the announcement by Veterans Affairs Minister Daniel MacDonald Tuesday that recipients of war veteran and civilian war allowances will be able to earn \$1,000 instead of \$750 without having their pensions cut.

H. A. Praeger, secretary-manager of the Trafalgar branch, Royal Canadian Legion, said that only a few veterans in this area will be able to benefit from the new regulations.

"People on war veterans allowances," he said, "are either too old or unable to work. There's really not much to it."

"Only people under 65 are affected. The most you can get as a war veteran is \$171 so when they're 65 and can qualify they drop that and get the \$200 old-age pension."

Praeger said the only people who can gain from the new regulation are those who can find a light job.

"There's the odd few jobs, watchman at a summer camp or doorman, but that's about it."

Praeger said the legion has been urging an over-all increase in basic pensions.

"There should be a 25 per cent increase across the board for war veterans and their widows. This is what (MacDonald) has been promising. At least the pensions should be brought up to the old age pension rate."

W. J. Kane of the Britannia branch agrees.

"I don't think it's very good," he said, "95 per cent are not able to work at all. After all, the pensions are given because the recipients have been pre-aged by war service. Most of them are over 69. This only helps a very few people."

Harry Broadhurst of Kimberley, president of the legion's Pacific Command, said:

"I don't want to discourage the government by being too pessimistic, but what we really need is an increase in the basic pension."

"We got the last increase more than a year ago and that wasn't too much. It just hasn't kept up with the rising cost of living."

He added, perhaps, the minister was "just getting started."

SMASH-GRAB THIEF KNEW THE GOODS

Whoever kicked in the front door window and stole three guitars from Nelson's Music Centre Ltd., 1235 Broad, early this morning "knew what they were after," owner Ken Nelson said today.

The three best Gibson guitars in the store, valued at \$645, \$535 and \$470 were taken.

"They probably came in the store and tried them out before stealing them," said Nelson.

Victoria police heard the burglar alarm at 12:14 a.m. A witness in the London Flats, across the street, described the suspect to police.

Nelson said the store had been broken into two years ago but the thief stole smaller items. He has since had a burglar alarm installed.

Auditor-General Hits UIC Fund Transfers

OTTAWA (CP) — Auditor-General Maxwell Henderson said the Trudeau government are at odds again this time over the methods the government used to put extra money into the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Henderson told the Commons miscellaneous estimates committee Tuesday that he isn't satisfied with the legal opinion given to the government that it acted correctly in issuing special warrants to

Searchers Consider Giving Up Ministers In Conference

ALERT BAY — A search for a Harrison Airways plane, missing since Friday, will probably be discontinued this week, Alert Bay RCMP said today.

"I think we'll have to assume that the plane is in the depths of L'Anse-au-Loup. There's nothing to be gained by us running up and down the shoreline with helicopters and boats," said Sgt. Herbert Cahoon.

Search operations are concentrated in the 120-foot deep Drury Inlet, 10 miles north of Sullivan Bay.

Poor visibility and continuous rain has hampered the search for clues to the whereabouts of the pilot, Dale Rockwell of Delta, and a passenger, David Kinne of Langdale.

The single-engine Husky aircraft left Sullivan Bay Friday. The plane's flight was found Monday.

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CLINGING to his pet rabbit, Eli (John Heath) endures menacing presence of Clifford Hopkins (Don McManus), the man who has taken his dead father's place in James Reaney's *The Killdeer*. Directed by

Peter Mannering, the play opens Friday at 8 p.m. at Bastion Studio Theatre, 538 Yates. With the exception of Jan. 29, the show will run through to Feb. 3. The Sunday performance will be at 2:30 p.m.

Alaska Oil Pipeline Feasible

VANCOUVER (CP) — A report released here by Mackenzie Valley Pipe Line Research Ltd. says a pipeline capable of transporting crude oil from Alaska's North Slope to Edmonton is technically feasible and could be constructed without major or irreparable damage to the environment.

Mackenzie Valley Research, a consortium of 16 companies, was formed in 1969 to study problems of designing, constructing and maintaining a safe and efficient oil pipeline system in the north.

The report deals with the feasibility of constructing a pipeline, 48 inches in diameter, from Prudhoe Bay, Alaska, to Edmonton where it would connect with the existing Interprovincial and Trans-Mountain systems. The line would be about 1,738 miles long and, with pumping stations to provide a capacity of 1.8 million barrels a day, would cost about \$3.4 billion.

The line is based on the possibility of the Mackenzie Valley route being selected by Alaska's North Slope producers. However, so far these producers favor a proposed pipeline across Alaska, called the Alyeska Pipeline.

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Eskimo Art Strikes Chord in China

By JOHN BURNS
The Globe and Mail

PEKING — Chinese in their hundreds crowded into the national art gallery in central Peking last Sunday for their first look at the life and culture of the Canadian Eskimo and came away struck by the similarity between the people who inhabit Canada's Arctic and the Mongolian people who live in China's own frozen northland.

The resemblance of the two peoples, long remarked by anthropologists, seemed to some as a surprise to many of the visitors to an exhibition of Eskimo art that opened a two-week run in the Chinese capital on Saturday.

The comment of one young

man as he emerged from the film show that accompanies the exhibition — "some of those scenes looked like they could have been taken in Inner Mongolia" — was characteristic of the response generated among the first of the 10,000 visitors scheduled to see the display.

Generally, the visitors seemed attracted by the hardy simplicity of Eskimo life, slightly baffled by the surrealism of their art — and disappointed that there was no Eskimo artist present to give a vital dimension to the display of prints and sculpture.

Among Canadians who toured the display, one common criticism was that the half-hour film depicting Eskimo

life, the *Living Stone*, produced by the National Film Board in Ottawa, gave a misleading impression of the kind of existence most Eskimos now have.

One woman who has toured the Arctic and written about Eskimo life said that the film gave a romanticized impression by concentrating on scenes of a family living in an igloo, hunting seals in kayaks and dancing long into the night after a feast of raw seal meat — "a life-style that is past for all but a tiny minority," as she put it.

Ironically, it was precisely such scenes that seemed most appealing to the Chinese who packed into the makeshift theatre at the exhibition, arousing their own predilec-

tion for a simple, self-sufficient life characterized by a harmony between man and nature.

The sight of Eskimos fending for themselves under extremely difficult conditions was tailor-made for China, where self-reliance is among the most celebrated of the virtues — as well as the one that is more evident in everyday life.

Although added to the exhibition as an afterthought, the film seemed to have a greater impact than the extensive display of Eskimo prints, which excited quizzical expressions on the faces of many early visitors.

Prints depicting human figures with several sets of arms or birds with extra sets of

wings — images out of Eskimo legend — are a far cry from the stark realism of socialist art to which most Chinese are accustomed, and the contrast seemed more than most visitors could handle.

Even intellectuals like Chiao Kuan-hua, the vice foreign minister who attended the opening, seemed puzzled by the prints, which included works by Keno-Juak and other prominent Eskimo artists.

By contrast, the simplicity and realism of Eskimo sculpture — especially animals carved in soapstone — struck a responsive chord, prompting one Chinese official to say that the exhibition would have been better with more sculpture and fewer prints.

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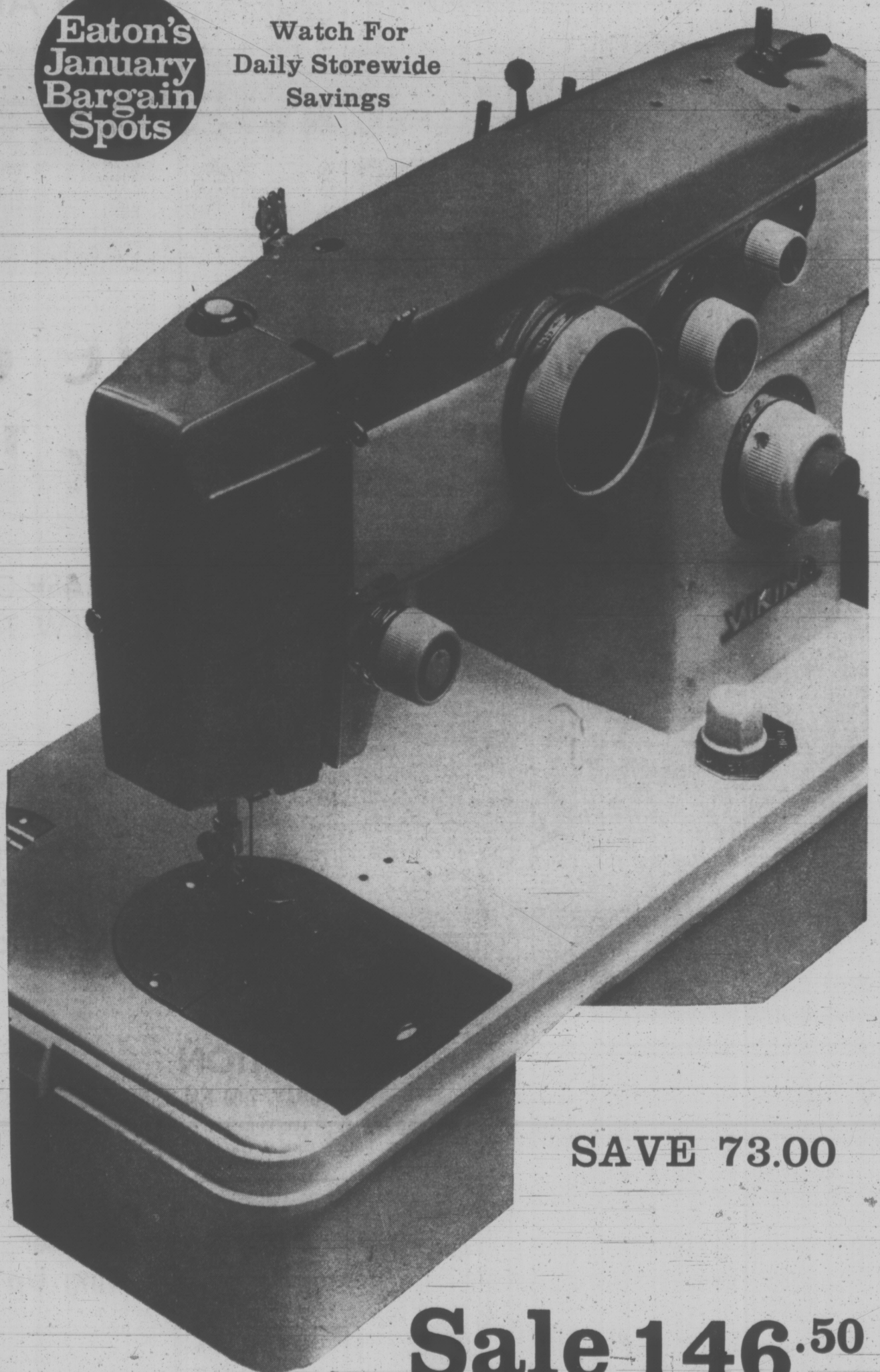
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Liberals Have No Time to Relax

By VICTOR MACKIE
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — The Liberal minority government having survived the rough waters of the throne speech debate, cannot relax because more rocks can be seen ahead on which it could easily founder.

The Trudeau administration is like a canoeist shooting rapids. No sooner has it cleared one dangerous area of white water than more outcroppings appear threatening its safe passage.

Some politicians and pundits appear convinced that with the dangers of the confidence motions in the throne speech debate behind it, the government is relatively safe for a few weeks.

Not so. Now it is trying to navigate the perils of proposed amendments to the Unemployment Insurance Act. The New Democratic Party does not like several of the amendments, nor the tone of the suggested changes.

As one party spokesman said: The amendments seem to imply the unemployed are presumed guilty of trying to cheat the system and have to prove their innocence.

As it now stands the NDP will not support the amending legislation. The Progressive Conservatives too can be counted on to balk at some of the changes in administration proposed by the government.

Proposed Change To UIC Act Implies Guilt

When Manpower Minister Robert Andras realizes that his amending bill tightening up on the operation of the UIC, is in deep trouble, he may be ordered to back off by the cabinet.

The bill could be shelved. Or if the government is defeated in trying to get its amending legislation passed, Prime Minister Trudeau may announce it is not a matter of

major policy and therefore not considered a vote of non-confidence.

Also looming immediately ahead to give the government a rough time in these first weeks of the 29th Parliament is the need to get the supplementary estimates passed.

The government has asked the miscellaneous estimates committee for \$1.3 billion in supplementary estimates, \$454 million of it for the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

The government must have that money by Feb. 8. The UIC, reported to be \$1.25 billion in the red, is coming perilously close to again running out of funds.

The Progressive Conservatives have accused the government of acting illegally in providing a \$500 million advance for the fund and having obtained the money through governor general's warrants.

The government now wants Parliament to approve its action retroactively.

The Tories have dug in

their heels on this issue. It now appears doubtful that they will allow Parliament to provide the funds by holding up passage of the supplementary estimates.

A government that runs out of money is in grave difficulties, in fact, it could be teetering on the edge of its grave. The Feb. 8 deadline is less than three weeks away.

Ged Baldwin, the PC House

Funds Key To Government Holding Office

leader, first raised the issue of the alleged "misappropriation of funds" by the government.

If he has his way Parliament will not condone the government's action by voting the money that the cabinet now wants voted to bail it out of its predicament.

A government that cannot get the money voted it requires, by Feb. 8, cannot duck

that blow by describing it as not "want-of-confidence." Such a move by Parliament would be certainly a move of no-confidence in the administration.

The government might have to try and resort to use of "closure" to force Parliament to vote the funds which would stir up a real storm in the House.

If the Trudeau government gets past those rocky outcroppings it then faces the sharp waterfall of the budget.

It is expected early in February.

Finance Minister John Turner is going to have to paddle a straight line to avoid the Tory shoals and NDP sandbars.

The budget could prove the sternest test of all. Bringing in a budget that meets with the approval of the NDP and the Conservatives could prove impossible.

If that's the case the government could be swamped by a torrent of votes from the combined opposition parties.

Murder Charged After Child Flung From Roof

NEWARK, N.J. (UPI) — Andrew Jerome Bray, 22, was charged with murder in the death of a five-year-old girl thrown to her death from the roof of a 13-storey building.

The body of Patti Countryman was found Saturday in a dirt courtyard at Scudder Homes, a public housing project where both she and Bray lived.

Police said the girl was thrown off the roof after breaking away from a man who allegedly lured her there with promises of money, then tried to assault her.

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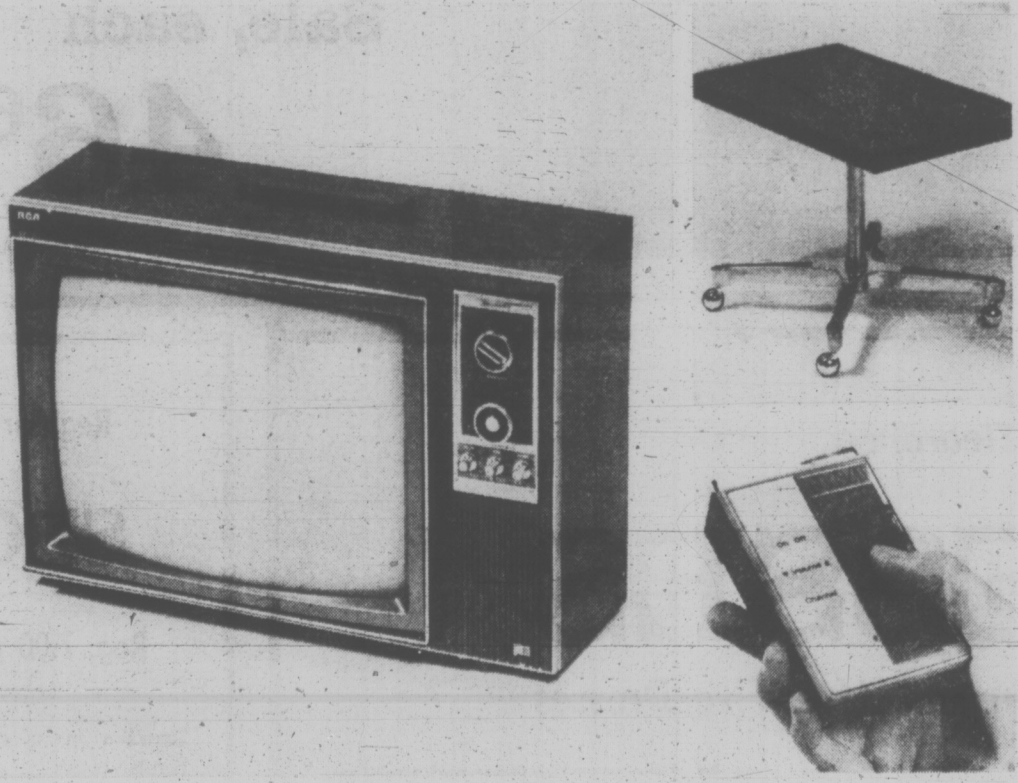
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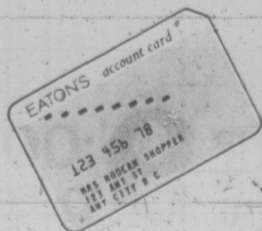
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Postal Accord Made

OTTAWA (CP) — Tentative agreement has been reached with the government in the lengthy postal dispute and it will be put to a ratification vote by members, the Letter Carriers Union of Canada announced today.

The announcement was the first break in the dispute between the treasury board and the postal workers that has continued since the last contract expired in March.

No details of the settlement were available, but a conciliation board report presented in December recommended a wage increase of 65 cents-an-hour in a contract lasting to Dec. 31, 1974.

Both union and government negotiators agreed to accept a new explanation of a conciliation board clause concerning job classification grievances.

The clause caused the collapse of bargaining talks last week, an event followed by unauthorized postal strikes in several cities including Toronto and Vancouver.

Postmaster-General Andre Ouellet told the Commons Tuesday that government negotiators had a mandate to sign an agreement and that settlement was close.

The agreement on the disputed clause in the conciliation report was made public Tuesday night and signed by all three members of the board.

The union had interpreted the disputed clause to mean there would be third-party arbitration of job classification grievances, a view rejected by the government.

The explanation Tuesday said both parties had legitimate differences of opinion caused by the wording of the report.

Banner Hails Peace

"All people welcome the ceasefire to proceed to a genuine lasting peace," reads street banner being raised in South Vietnamese capital following announcement of the agreement negotiated between the United States and Hanoi.



Ceasefire Pact Allows Hanoi Troops to Stay

WASHINGTON (CP) — North Vietnam will be allowed to keep its estimated 140,000 troops in South Vietnam under the terms of a peace agreement with both China and the Soviet Union joining in an international conference to guarantee the Vietnamese peace.

Details of the peace package, under which the United States will withdraw all its remaining forces from South Vietnam and get its captured soldiers back, were disclosed in Washington and Hanoi today following announcement that a ceasefire will take effect Saturday.

A major concession on the part of the U.S. and South Vietnam is that Hanoi will not have to withdraw its troops from the southern battlefields. This had been a top demand by Washington in previous negotiations.

The formal agreement declares that the South Vietnamese people have an inalienable right to self-determination and "shall decide themselves the political future of South Vietnam through genuinely free and democratic general elections under international supervision."

To help shape South Vietnam's political future, a national council of national reconciliation and concord will be set up with equal representation given to the Saigon regime, the Viet Cong and neutral parties.

"The council shall operate on the principle of unanimity," the document said.

The agreement envisions signing by the Saigon government and Viet Cong of their own accord on internal mat-

ters, hopefully within 90 days following the ceasefire.

In essence, the agreement and four accompanying diplomatic documents, called protocols, drew close to a Washington-Hanoi draft agreement made known last Oct. 26 — the day when Henry Kissinger, President Nixon's chief negotiator, proclaimed that "peace is at hand."

The settlement package calls for a four-power international control commission force of 1,160 persons to go to South Vietnam as a peace-keeping unit.

Meanwhile, fighting surged across much of South Vietnam today despite the ceasefire announcement, and Saigon officials said they were ready for more Communist attacks before a ceasefire comes into force.

"We believe the enemy has the intention to capture more land and people before a ceasefire," a South Vietnamese military spokesman said.

Other sources said some South Vietnamese forces also would be extended into uncontrolled areas in an effort to raise the government's flag over as much territory as possible.

There was widely-scattered ground fighting overnight and U.S. and South Vietnamese planes were operating as usual.

U.S. sources indicated that U.S. bombing strikes would begin tapering off Thursday but that some strikes probably will be flown until just before the start of the ceasefire at 8 a.m. Sunday, Saigon time, or 4 p.m. PST Saturday.

The sources said it appeared likely that U.S. advisers still in the field with South Vietnamese troops and assigned to provincial and district teams will begin pulling out in the next few days.

The South Vietnamese command reported 95 "enemy initiated incidents" in the 24 hours ending at 6 a.m. today, bearing out earlier predictions by senior commanders that the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong would launch at least one more major effort to gain territory and control of population before the ceasefire.

The nine-year-old demilitarized zone between North and South was recognized by the agreement as "only provisional and not a political or territorial boundary." The agreement envisions ultimate reunification of Vietnam on the basis of a North-South settlement.

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HANOI CLAIMS VICTORY

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam's Le Duc Tho said today the Vietnam peace agreement was "a great victory for the Vietnamese people" and contained no secret or tacit understandings on withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam.

War Cost 'Staggers'

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

For everyone involved, the cost of the Vietnam war has been staggering, both in terms of lives and dollars. Here is a quick look at some of these costs.

Casualties—The U.S. defense department says 5,923 Americans were killed in action, and more than 300,000 were wounded between 1961 and the end of 1972. The South Vietnamese command says 180,676 of its troops and an estimated 921,350 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong were killed in the same period.

The U.S. Senate subcommittee on refugees estimates civilian casualties in South Vietnam at 415,000 killed and 935,000 wounded from 1965 through 1972.

Taxes—The war has cost U.S. taxpayers nearly \$137 billion.

U.S. Servicemen—About 2.6 million Americans have served in the armed forces in Vietnam and another 700,000 elsewhere in Southeast Asia or on ships off the Vietnamese coast.

Refugees—The war has created, at least temporarily, more than six million refugees in South Vietnam, said Senator Edward Kennedy (Dem. Mass.), chairman of the Senate subcommittee on refugees. Millions of others have been driven from their homes in Laos, Cambodia and North Vietnam.

Aircraft Losses—The United States has lost 4,900 helicopters and 3,700 fixed-wing planes, about 1,100 of them over North Vietnam.

Bombing—U.S. warplanes dropped about 7.1 million tons of bombs and rockets on the four countries of Indochina. That is about three times the tonnage dropped by U.S. planes in the Second World War and 10 times the amount in the Korean War.

Houses Set Aflame By Rain of Lava

NO RENT GOUGING FOUND

Little evidence has been found of unjustified rent increases being charged to elderly citizens following establishment of the province's new \$200-a-month minimum income. Rehabilitation Minister Norman Levi said Tuesday.

Levi appointed three persons last fall to look into charges of unfair rent increases being charged. He was commenting on the report of the three investigators.

Levi said the rental increases that have occurred are between five and six per cent, which he termed "not unfair." The minister said he has met representatives of two B.C. apartment owners' associations and found no indication that rents were being boosted indiscriminately.

REYKJAVIK (Reuters) — The Helgafell volcano, which erupted suddenly Tuesday for the first time in thousands of years, burst out into even greater fury today.

Lumps of glowing lava shot high into the sky, falling on houses on the fringes of the almost-deserted fishing town of Vestmannaeyjar, in the Westman islands off Iceland's south coast, and setting them on fire.

A change of wind brought the hot lava stones down on the easternmost and southernmost houses of the town.

Premier Olafur Johannesson held day-long talks with his cabinet and then told the nation in a televised address that the catastrophe was the worst in 1,100 years of Icelandic history.

He said the loss of this fishing area will have serious effects on the country's economy since the fishermen of the Westman Islands caught nearly 17 per cent of the entire Icelandic catch in 1972.

Dormant for about 7,000 years, Helgafell, on the main Westman island of Heimaey, erupted at 2 a.m. Tuesday without warning.

The outburst blasted a 1½-mile crack, almost splitting the island in two.

More than 5,000 islanders fled their homes as lava and hot ash showered down. All were accommodated in private homes on the mainland.

The eruption continued during the night. Experts said it could go on for days, months or even years.

So far the eruption has caused little damage because of a combination of lucky events, the situation of the long crater rift, the flow of lava in a direction towards the sea and the course of the wind.

Johannesson announced that the government has appointed a five-man committee to look into the economic effects for Iceland of the loss of the Westman islands.

Haiti Pays Terrorists To Free U.S. Diplomats

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (UPI) — Five Haitian terrorists today released U.S. Ambassador Clinton Knox and U.S. Consul Ward Christensen in return for a government promise to fly them, 12 political prisoners and \$70,000 ransom money to Mexico.

They had been holding the diplomats at gunpoint since Tuesday night.

A spokesman for the American embassy in Port au Prince said the gunmen released Knox and Christensen unharmed at the airport after the French ambassador intervened in the case.

A C-46 plane of the govern-

ment airline Air Haiti was ready to take off for Mexico with the five kidnappers, 12 political prisoners whose release they had demanded, and \$70,000 in cash aboard. Also aboard the plane were Mexican Ambassador to Haiti Armand Arce and Papal Nuncio Luigi Barbarito and French Ambassador Bernard Dorin.

Dorin had carried out most of the negotiations with the terrorists, personally guaranteeing their safe passage out of the country in an appeal made over the Haitian radio. The gunmen apparently chose to go to Mexico of their own accord.

NEWS BRIEFS

Ownership Bill Read

OTTAWA (UPI) — All new foreign business investment in Canada would be screened by the federal government to assure it is of "significant benefit to Canada" under a bill introduced in the Commons today.

Under the new bill a foreign investment review agency would be set up, within the industry department, and the agency's commissioner would report to Industry Minister Alastair Gillespie.

Snow Closure

STEWART (CP) — Schools in this isolated B.C. town remained closed today, following an eight-inch snowfall Tuesday. The town, with a population of 730, has been inundated with 189 inches of snow so far this winter.

Bombs in Belfast

BELFAST (Reuters) — Two bombs exploded within an hour of each other here today, wrecking a downtown police motor-vehicle bureau and damaging an auto supply company. There were no injuries in either blast.

Walkout Flops

TORONTO (CP) — A 24-hour walkout by machinists at Toronto International Airport was abandoned Tuesday night when 1,000 Air Canada workers refused to support it. It was planned for midnight to support 60 striking stewardesses of Wardair Canada Ltd.

Runway Collapsed

AMMAN (AFP) — Royal Jordanian Airlines announced Tuesday night that a runway gave way, causing the crash of a Boeing 707 at Kano in northern Nigeria Monday, killing a confirmed 138.

Thalidomide Offers

OTTAWA (CP) — Health Minister Marc Lalonde told the Commons Tuesday that manufacturers of the thalidomide drug, which caused deformities in unborn babies, are negotiating with individual parents toward a private settlement.

Canada Agrees To Peace Force

Times News Services

OTTAWA — External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp said today that Canada will take part in a Vietnam ceasefire observer force for 60 days when the combatants have signed the truce agreement.

During the initial 60 days, the government will decide whether to contribute for a longer period to the proposed four-country observer group.

Sharp told the Commons that it will take several days to make a final decision on participation for longer than 60 days.

He said Canada also would

base its decision on the lessons of the initial period.

Canada, Hungary, Indonesia and Poland will be asked to contribute 290 military personnel each to a four-power international commission of control and supervision to police the Vietnam ceasefire.

Formal documents issued today indicate that the commission — to be manned by the troops of the two Communist and two Western nations — will contribute a total of 1,160 men.

External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp emphasized Tuesday night that Canada would not decide whether to participate until the govern-

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Airport Searches

Air Canada has begun a security program which eventually will require every boarding passenger to undergo an inspection with a metal-detector or magnetometer and a search of all hand luggage.

The new program should come into effect at Victoria International Airport within two weeks, an Air Canada spokesman said today.

Certain security procedures are already being used in the airport, he said, but refused to describe them as he said it would diminish their effectiveness. The new equipment will simply beef up existing precautions, he said.

The airline said the program, expected to cost more than \$1 million a year, began Jan. 3 on all flights coming into Canada from the United States.

Since that time, inspection of all hand luggage has been progressively increased at Canadian airports, said Jack Barclay, Air Canada's security chief.

The measures will be in effect by mid-February at all 32 domestic airports served by the airline and at all foreign airports to which it flies.

Legislation requiring fines of up to \$5,000 or one year in prison for people who refuse to obey orders of security officers at airports was introduced in the House of commons Monday.

Captain John D. Wright, president of the Canadian Airline Pilots' Association, said Tuesday he was gratified by the legislation, which would require strict security measures and searches to be applied to all passengers.



Detector scans Montreal passenger

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Black Muslim 'Holy' Wars Feared in U.S.

NEW YORK (CP) — The weekend siege of four gunmen barricaded inside a Brooklyn sporting goods store and the execution-type slayings of seven persons in a Washington residence last week have stirred new fears of bloody warring between differing Muslim sects in the United States.

Police say the men who broke into the Brooklyn store were clearly not involved in a simple robbery.

"These men were definitely after the guns," said one policeman after the 47-hour drama in which one policeman was killed and two others wounded.

But a source close to one of the men was quoted as saying the four wanted the guns only "for defence purposes" — and

stressed that this did not mean defence against the police.

This indicates the Muslim sect to which the four belong may have been preparing for possible attacks by the better-known Black Muslim group headed by Elijah Muhammed.

A Washington police spokesman said after the slayings there that it was "definitely an execution."

And a leader of the Muslim sect to which the seven belonged said Monday the slayings had been carried out by the Black Muslims.

Hamaas Abdul Khaalis said the killings were the result of letters he had written to followers of Elijah Muhammed which he said "exposed Elijah." His daughter was among those wounded in the

Washington incident and he said she quoted her attacker as saying:

"You should have expected this. Your father should not have written those letters."

Muslim sects began spreading through black communities in the U.S. after the Second World War. Elijah Muhammed's group, which calls itself the Nation of Islam, was among the largest and its

growth was helped by the development of Malcolm X into an able and effective orator.

Malcolm split with Elijah in 1963 but remained a Muslim.

The four men who carried out the Brooklyn siege were said to be members of the orthodox Pan-Sunni sect. Sunnis and Shias comprise the two principal divisions of the Islamic faith.

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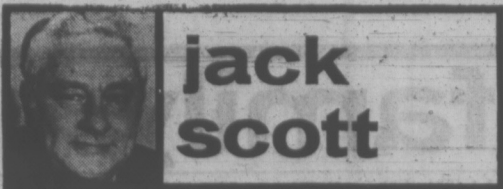
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Way to Independence —The Commons Yawned

Two things were missing in a brief reference here last week to — if I may repeat my own estimate — the most important proposition to be put to the House of Commons in years.

The first was the fact that the man who made it, Ian Arrol, the 49-year-old Conservative member of Parliament for York East, is, in a sense, a local boy. Arrol spent his youth in Parksville where his father was a United Church minister. He was a radio announcer and school teacher in the east before becoming religion editor of the Daily Colonist. Returning to the east and teaching, he entered politics and was elected to the Commons in the last election.

Missing, too, was a copy of Hansard with the complete text of his speech. Since I could find no paper in Canada that gave it more than a perfunctory three or four paragraphs Arrol's case for a de-militarized Canada clearly did not have the national airing it deserved. I now have that full text.

Arrol's proposal, bluntly put, is that Canada should give up the right to use its armed forces for any national purpose whatsoever.

He quotes theologian Reinhold Niebuhr on the malaise of youth — "an unfocused craving for affirmation" — and suggests that Canadians in general do not know collectively what it means to have an identity. "There is still this strange unease in the land," he notes, "an unease which can probably only be settled through some project to which all Canadians can give their adherence." That project? "Let one nation seek to establish peace by preparing absolutely for peace instead of preparing for war."

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To that end, Arrol would abolish our Department of National Defence, replace it with a Department for United Nations Co-operation and guarantee that those armed forces we retained would be used only at the discretion of the UN.

"The world's only salvation may be a reconstituted and strengthened United Nations with the power to keep the peace between nations," as he sees it. "And the only way the United Nations can be renewed, reconstituted and given the power to put its ideals into effect may be by dramatic initiative by one nation. We could take a step all by ourselves, then invite other nations to join us in the name of humanity the world over."

"Let us put the ideals of the United Nations — to which all nations say they subscribe — into practice, step by step, nation by nation, starting with Canada. This would be our affirmation, our cause, our way of asserting ourselves nationally in the service of an ideal that would go beyond our national borders, that would make us masters in our own house, subject to no other nation's foreign policy, but in service to all. I declare for peace and I would have my nation so declare. I affirm that the use of armed force in the world is a world responsibility and not that of any one nation."

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Arrol proposes that the immense amount of money we now pour into a military establishment be used, instead, for an economic program for the under-developed countries, that we provide training in medicine, agriculture, industrial and other techniques for the have-not nations.

He went on: "This project, shared by French and English-speaking Canadians could have unifying qualities for Canada, drawing us together as we united the visiting nations of our soil... In many other ways Canada could be a laboratory, a workshop, a showcase for United Nations purposes."

Arrol readily conceded that such a move by Canada would be bitterly opposed by our "allies."

"It would take as much courage as going to war," he told the Commons. "It would, indeed, be the moral equivalent of going to war. But no matter what the price, we would have charted the course for no less than a Made-in-Canada Declaration of Independence. It is ideals and not economic warfare which call forth a nation to life, to spirit."

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"The Indians under Gandhi practised non-violence for the independence of their nation; the Negroes under Martin Luther King for recognition of a race," he concluded. "Our task would be non-violence for the recognition and fulfilment of the possibilities for good in all mankind, a first practical step to peace on earth. Some nation at some time soon must act as a catalyst to break the armed camps in which the nations of the world find themselves today: some nation must cause a revolution in thinking about war and its inevitability."

Our man in Ottawa tells me that the speech was received by the House of Commons with much the same sort of yawn that it was received on the news desks of the land. I suppose that explains my own sense of unease, my own unfocused craving for doing something that might proudly be called Canadian.

FROZEN CHICKEN LITTERS HIGHWAY

Shawnigan Lake RCMP and Mill Bay residents spent Tuesday clearing 10,000 pounds of frozen chicken from the Trans-Canada Highway after a Maplewood Poultry Processors Ltd. truck overturned one mile north of Mill Bay.

RCMP said the wheel bearings on the van, driven by Art Watson, 27, seized up, and heated the axle housing.

The axle popped out of position and the rear dual wheels actually passed in front of the moving truck, causing it to overturn. The accident occurred at 6:30 a.m.

By WAYNE HARDING

More buses on existing routes won't answer all the complaints of Greater Victoria transit users.

Lack of cross-town buses is a major criticism of the service.

"It's a tremendous inconvenience," says Mrs. Ruth Clay, 592 Peto Place, past president of the Victoria branch of the Consumers' Association of Canada, who has taken a special interest in the transit system.

Inadequate routing in B.C. Hydro's bus system is one of the reasons people are "forced to drive and it causes great inconvenience to students and senior citizens and those who simply cannot afford a car," Mrs. Clay claims.

The problems arise from the route pattern of the bus system which has not changed significantly in past 20 years despite the growth of the community, new subdivisions, new institutions and new destinations for bus passengers.

Greater Victoria's bus system is designed as a wheel with the corner of Douglas and Yates at the centre and its various routes as spokes reaching out to the suburbs to a radius of 4½ miles.

The system was designed to bring people from the suburbs to the downtown core at a time when the volume of traffic between outlying points was very small.

In recent years there has been growing pressure on Hydro to create routes which link these outlying points directly. In 1969, Saanich municipal council asked Hydro to consider putting a cross-town route along McKenzie.

Lack of Cross-Town Buses Holding Up Transit Users

ment policy to induce more bus travel and less car travel is implemented.

In the meantime, it's a long, often frustrating chore to make one's way across town by bus.

For example, in order to make an 8:30 a.m. lecture at the University of Victoria, a student living in Esquimalt would have to take a bus that had left Dockyard at 7:25 a.m. at the latest.

With luck, he could transfer to a University bus at Douglas and Yates at 7:40 in which case he would arrive at the

University at about 8:10. Missing either the Esquimalt or the University bus would put him 20 minutes behind — too late to make his class.

Total travelling time from Dockyard to the University by bus is 45 minutes — 65 if you miss one bus.

The further one lives away from downtown, the more frustrating is the lack of cross-town buses.

For example, a person living in the Gordon Head area wanting to make an afternoon visit to someone living at Gorge and Admirals could

take a Gordon Head bus that leaves Tyndall and Barrie at 12:45 p.m. and be downtown by 1:05 where he would have to wait 20 minutes in order to catch the right Gorge Road bus that would take him to Admirals.

When he finally arrives at his destination, his total travelling and waiting time will be about one hour and 10 minutes.

Improvements are coming. In the meantime, without cross-town routes, there will be many long waits at the corner of Douglas and Yates.

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War Resisters Won't Go Home Despite Peace

The war may be over but American war resisters here say there's no way they'll move back to the United States.

The general attitude among those interviewed today seemed to be "the war might be over — so what?"

President Nixon's announcement of ceasefire in Vietnam may mean the end of that war, one deserter said, but it does not mean the end of the American war machine.

"The war is an economic thing," said Sherman Sheldon, 22, who has been here three years.

"Whenever there's a ceasefire or lull like this, workers start to scream that they're out of work," Sheldon said, "so the economy relies on war."

"I can't see people down there eating soup instead of steak so I see the pathway open to expanding some other war effort."

"The U.S. is fighting a lot of little wars so it's just a matter of giving one the priority," Sheldon said.

"Attitudes wouldn't have changed down there," Sheldon said.

"Canada has a good feeling. There's still a pioneering, wholesome type of spirit here — I don't want to leave."

"I might go back to visit but I've grown up a lot and realized a lot of things since I came to Canada, and it's my home now," he added.

Another 26-year-old draft-dodger said he would never return to the U.S., except to visit, and he felt real amnesty wasn't possible.

"We don't accept the term amnesty anyway," he said, "because it means forgiveness and we don't feel we've done anything wrong."

"They might pass a bill granting conditional amnesty provided some service is done when the resisters return, but I think only those who can't make it in Canada will go back."

He said he felt there was a great deal of resentment of draft dodgers in the United States and resisters would return home only to see their families.

Another American in the city who deserted and was later given a legal discharge and the right to go home, says he prefers to stay in Canada anyway.

War resisters aren't as easy to find in Victoria as they once were. Many have left the city to settle in the interior of B.C. or in the north.

"They're settling down into the life here," one resister explained, "there's not as much unity between them as there used to be. I guess they're going their own way now — and leaving that past behind."

"So the war's over," another summed up. "Nothing's changed down there — I'll stay here."

CABBIE ROBBED BY 'VICTIM'

A 22-year-old cab driver, who stopped to help a man lying on the street early today, was robbed at gunpoint by the man.

Bluebird driver Dennis Wayne Jasper, 616 Goldstream, was driving on Quadra near North Park at 2:20 a.m. when he noticed the man and stopped to investigate.

The man stood up, brandished a small pistol and said, "Give me your money."

Jasper was relieved of \$27.

Harassment Charged

A company official said today there has been "a great deal of harassment" on Telephone Answering's emergency lines since a strike started Friday.

D. A. Rowlands, manager of B.C. District Telegraph, parent company of Telephone Answering Service, said phone lines handling fire and ambulance calls from outlying areas and for burglar alarms are being tied up.

"We don't know who is doing it. It has never happened before. We are disgusted at it," Rowlands said.

J. M. McAvoy, business agent for Local 230 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, representing the 20 striking employees, said he has no knowledge of any calls going on emergency lines.

"I am opposed to anyone doing this on emergency lines," he said.

Rowlands also said he was "very surprised and very

shocked" when the employees went on strike.

He said the union didn't reply to offers made at a negotiating meeting Dec. 27.

McAvoy said the offer was for two cents an hour for one category for one year. The union's reply was strike notice, he said.

Main issue in the strike is wages. The union is seeking \$2.75 an hour for senior employees with three years experience while the company has offered \$2.40. Starting rates were the provincial minimum of \$2 an hour.

The union announced that, at the request of the Letter Carriers Union of Canada, it is giving mailmen a picket pass to deliver letters to offices in the building at 727 Johnson, except Telephone Answering. McAvoy said "we don't want to unjustly penalize" other businesses in the same building not involved in the strike.

SPEC Rejects Saanich Group

Formation of a new provincial environmental organization with headquarters in Saanich was announced today by Derrick Mallard, a well-known B.C. environmentalist.

The Citizens' Association to Save the Environment will hold its first public meeting in the Newcombe Auditorium, Provincial Museum, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m.

Mallard, formerly of Vancouver, is one of the founders of SPEC who resigned from the organization last April. He moved to Victoria after attending the world conference on environment held in Stockholm, last summer.

CASE was formed after the provincial council of SPEC refused to grant the Saanich SPEC branch a charter, Mallard said.

"The rationale underlying the decision for denial has not been divulged," he said. "It is classified confidential. However, we will work with SPEC branches and organizations with objectives similar to CASE."



RESTYLING curly locks of David Classen, Deep Cove, barber Lyle Smith is guided by current trend toward shorter hair for men. But

don't look for cue ball cuts of the past to win any popularity. Barbers say the "medium cut" is in. (Irving Strickland photo)

Victorians Adopt Trim But Still No Skin Heads

Now that the army has been sold on long hair, wouldn't you know the styles are getting shorter...

Men's hair stylists in Victoria agree the trend is toward closer trims, reflecting reports of short styles as New York, Los Angeles and Atlanta.

Len Copan, who runs the barber shop concession in Work Point Barracks, said the army was only just getting used to longer hair, permitting men in the forces to wear the tops and sides as long as they wanted, provided ears are in the clear, sideburns are no longer than mid-ear and hair at the nape of the neck is no longer than the earlobe.

He said barbers are "not skinning like they used to" to

provide the classic military haircut. The typical cut today is "like an average medium haircut," Copan said.

He thought forces haircuts probably would not change much now until the short-short style returns, if that should ever happen.

Downtown barbers can't see clipper cuts ever coming back.

Judy Henley, barber at The Baron, 727 Johnson, said, "the one men in Victoria like is just below the earlobe."

Anything over the collar is going out. "A lot of that is for company reasons," she said.

From the front today's look is layered and in the rear future "I don't think it will go much shorter," she said.

"It looks nice when it's natural-looking — not shaved around the ears."

"Super long is out," agreed Lyle Smith, of The Den, 1175 Douglas. "It's too big a hassle to look after." Men, who generally don't want to spend the time women do caring for their hair, are looking for easier management, he said.

The trend is "not back to the crewcut," said Zeke Almeida, of Oak Bay Hairstyling, 2039 Oak Bay.

"The newer styles are 'what would be a neat look, half way down the ears and clear of the collar, not bushy.'"

"Clippers are not used much anymore."

Goodbye old faithful electric curling tongs, hot-air blowers, aerosol spray and bomb and hair nets. Anybody got a comb?

Museums 'Strangled by Apathy'

By SUSAN RUTTAN
Times Staff

Museums in Greater Victoria are suffering from the neglect of municipal and provincial governments, a long-time museum authority said Tuesday.

"They're being strangled to death by government apathy and by civic apathy on the part of the cities that form Greater Victoria," said Dr. Archie Key, former director of the Canadian Museums Association.

"They don't realize the assets they have in these three institutions," Key said of the Provincial Museum, the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria and the Maritime Museum.

Key was in Victoria to collect material for a book he is writing on the origin and development of Canadian museums, due to be published in August. British Columbia is his last stop in his cross-Canada study of museums.

"The art gallery here is one of the richest in terms of collection," he said. "The Japanese collection is the finest of its kind in Canada."

Yet the gallery is given only a small operating budget (\$80,000 last year), he said.

"It has not been permitted to expand." With its collection of close to 4,000 art objects, the art gallery deserves a \$2 or \$3 million building, Key said.

Despite the problems of mu-

seums in Victoria, Key sees a cultural renaissance across Canada.

He points to the upsurge in the number of museums and art galleries in the country — 385 in 1964, 721 in 1968, 1,146 today.

Attendance at 187 Canadian museums in 1972 was one million; in 1962 it had jumped to 34 million. In 1970 attendance at 650 Canadian museums was 54,900,000, Key said, and today it's surely higher.

Major Canadian museums will spend \$180 million on capital projects between now and 1981, Key said.

Centennial Year was responsible for part of this renaissance, he said — 140 museums were built. So is the jet

age, which takes thousands of Canadians to Europe to see great museums and art treasures there, and brings them home more interested in their own culture, he said.

"At long last we have matured," he said.

"The people themselves are getting culturally oriented and they are getting interested in their own history."

Policies of the federal secretary of state department have also helped, said Key.

Creation of a National Museums Board in 1968 helped give museums unity and better organization, he said.

Then in March 1972 Secretary of State Gerard Pelletier introduced a new policy of decentralizing and democratiz-

ing national museums to make national treasures available to all parts of Canada, not just Ottawa.

To do this, museums round the country are becoming associate museums, so they can share exhibitions with each other.

The Provincial Museum is already one of the 10 associate museums, Key said. The Art Gallery is going to apply to become an associate this week, and some 30 other museums are expected to join eventually.

Key's book will be published by McClelland and Stewart. The author was director of Calgary's Allied Arts Centre for nearly 20 years, and lives in Calgary.

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Postal Accord Made

OTTAWA (CP) — Tentative agreement has been reached with the government in the lengthy postal dispute and it will be put to a ratification vote by members, the Letter Carriers Union of Canada announced today.

The announcement was the first break in the dispute between the treasury board and the postal workers, that has continued since the last contract expired in March.

No details of the settlement were available, but a conciliation board report presented in December recommended a wage increase of 65 cents-an-hour in a contract lasting to Dec. 31, 1974.

Both union and government negotiators agreed to accept a new explanation of a conciliation board clause concerning job classification grievances.

The clause caused the collapse of bargaining talks last week, an event followed by unauthorized postal strikes in several cities including Toronto and Vancouver.

Postmaster-General Andre Ouellet told the Commons Tuesday that government negotiators had a mandate to sign an agreement and that settlement was close.

The agreement on the disputed clause in the conciliation report was made public Tuesday night and signed by all three members of the board.

The union had interpreted the disputed clause to mean there would be third-party arbitration of job classification grievances, a view rejected by the government.

The explanation Tuesday said both parties had legitimate differences of opinion caused by the wording of the report.

Banner Hails Peace

"All people welcome the ceasefire to proceed to a genuine lasting peace," reads street banner being raised in South Vietnamese capital following announcement of the agreement negotiated between the United States and Hanoi.



Ceasefire Pact Allows Hanoi Troops to Stay

WASHINGTON (CP) — North Vietnam will be allowed to keep its estimated 140,000 troops in South Vietnam under the terms of a peace agreement with both China and the Soviet Union joining in an international conference to guarantee the Vietnamese peace.

Details of the peace package, under which the United States will withdraw all its remaining forces from South Vietnam and get its captured soldiers back, were disclosed in Washington and Hanoi today following announcement that a ceasefire will take effect Saturday.

A major concession on the part of the U.S. and South Vietnam is that Hanoi will not have to withdraw its troops from the southern battlefields. This had been a top demand by Washington in previous negotiations.

The formal agreement declares that the South Vietnamese people have an inalienable right to self-determination and "shall decide themselves the political future of South Vietnam through genuinely free and democratic general elections under international supervision."

To help shape South Vietnam's political future, a national council of national reconciliation and concord will be set up with equal representation given to the Saigon regime, the Viet Cong and neutral parties.

"The council shall operate on the principle of unanimity," the document said.

The agreement envisions signing by the Saigon government and Viet Cong of their own accord on internal mat-

ters, hopefully within 90 days following the ceasefire.

In essence, the agreement and four accompanying diplomatic documents, called protocols, drew close to a Washington-Hanoi draft agreement made known last Oct. 26 — the day when Henry Kissinger, President Nixon's chief negotiator, proclaimed that "peace is at hand."

The settlement package calls for a four-power international control commission force of 1,100 persons to go to South Vietnam as a peace-keeping unit.

Meanwhile, fighting surged across much of South Vietnam today despite the ceasefire announcement, and Saigon officials said they were ready for more Communist attacks before a ceasefire comes into force.

"We believe the enemy has the intention to capture more land and people before a ceasefire," a South Vietnamese military spokesman said.

Other sources said some South Vietnamese forays also would be extended into uncontrolled areas in an effort to raise the government's flag over as much territory as possible.

There was widely-scattered ground fighting overnight and U.S. and South Vietnamese planes were operating as usual.

U.S. sources indicated that U.S. bombing strikes would begin tapering off Thursday but that some strikes probably will be flown until just before the start of the ceasefire at 8 a.m. Sunday, Saigon time, or 4 p.m. PST Saturday.

The sources said it appeared likely that U.S. advisers still in the field with South Vietnamese troops and assigned to provincial and district teams will begin pulling out in the next few days.

The South Vietnamese command reported 95 "enemy initiated incidents" in the 24 hours ending at 6 a.m. today, bearing out earlier predictions by senior commanders that the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong would launch, at least one more major effort to gain territory and control of population before the ceasefire.

The nine-year-old demilitarized zone between North and South was recognized by the agreement as "only provisional and not a political or territorial boundary." The agreement envisions ultimate reunification of Vietnam on the basis of a North-South set-

HANOI CLAIMS VICTORY

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam's Le Duc Tho said today the Vietnam peace agreement was "a great victory for the Vietnamese people" and contained no secret or tacit understandings on withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam.

War Cost 'Staggers'

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

For everyone involved, the cost of the Vietnam war has been staggering, both in terms of lives and dollars. Here is a quick look at some of these costs.

Casualties — The U.S. defense department says 45,928 Americans were killed in action, and more than 300,000 were wounded between 1961 and the end of 1972. The South Vietnamese command says 160,992 of its troops and an estimated 422,235 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong were killed in the same period.

The U.S. Senate subcommittee on refugees estimates civilian casualties in South Vietnam at 415,000 killed and 835,000 wounded from 1965 through 1972.

Taxes — The war has cost U.S. taxpayers nearly \$44 billion.

U.S. Servicemen — About 2.6 million Americans have served in the armed forces in Vietnam and another 700,000 elsewhere in Southeast Asia or on ships off the Vietnamese coast.

Refugees — The war has created, at least temporarily, more than six million refugees in South Vietnam, said Senator Edward Kennedy (Dem. Mass.), chairman of the Senate subcommittee on refugees. Millions of others have been driven from their homes in Laos, Cambodia and North Vietnam.

Aircraft Losses — The United States has lost 4,900 helicopters and 3,700 fixed-wing planes, about 1,100 of them over North Vietnam.

Bombing U.S. — warplanes dropped about 7.1 million tons of bombs and rockets on the four countries of Indochina. That is about three times the tonnage dropped by U.S. planes in the Second World War and 10 times the amount in the Korean War.

Houses Set Aflame By Rain of Lava

NO RENT GOUGING FOUND

Little evidence has been found of unjustified rent increases being charged to elderly citizens following establishment of the province's new \$200-a-month minimum income. Rehabilitation Minister Norman Levi said Tuesday.

Levi appointed three persons last fall to look into charges of unfair rent increases being charged. He was commenting on the report of the three investigators.

Levi said the rental increases that have occurred are between five and six per cent, which he termed "not unfair." The minister said he has met representatives of two B.C. apartment owners' associations and found no indication that rents were being boosted indiscriminately.

REYKJAVIK (Reuter) — The Heigafell volcano, which erupted suddenly Tuesday for the first time in thousands of years, burst out into even greater fury today.

Lumps of glowing lava shot high into the sky, falling on houses on the fringes of the almost-deserted fishing town of Vestmannaeyjar, in the Westman islands off Iceland's south coast, and setting them on fire.

A change of wind brought the hot lava stones down on the easternmost and southernmost houses of the town.

Premier Olafur Johannesson held day-long talks with his cabinet and then told the nation in a televised address that the catastrophe was the worst in 1,100 years of Icelandic history.

He said the loss of this fishing area will have serious effects on the country's economy since the fishermen of the Westman Islands caught nearly 17 per cent of the entire Icelandic catch in 1972.

Dormant for about 7,000 years, Heigafell, on the main Westman island of Heimaey, erupted at 2 a.m. Tuesday without warning.

The outburst blasted a 1½-mile crack, almost splitting the island in two.

More than 5,000 islanders fled their homes as lava and hot ash showered down. All were accommodated in private homes on the mainland.

The eruption continued during the night. Experts said it could go on for days, months or even years.

So far the eruption has caused little damage because of a combination of lucky events, the situation of the long crater rift, the flow of lava in a direction towards the sea and the course of the wind.

Johannesson announced that the government has appointed a five-man committee to look into the economic effects for Iceland of the loss of the Westman islands.

NEWS BRIEFS

Ownership Bill Read

OTTAWA (UPI) — All new foreign business investment in Canada would be screened by the federal government to assure it is of "significant benefit to Canada" under a bill introduced in the Commons today.

Under the new bill a foreign investment review agency would be set up, within the industry department, and the agency's commissioner would report to Industry Minister Alastair Gillespie.

Snow Closure

STEWART (CP) — Schools in this isolated B.C. town remained closed today, following an eight-inch snowfall Tuesday. The town, with a population of 750, has been inundated with 189 inches of snow so far this winter.

Walkout Flops

TORONTO (CP) — A 2½-hour walkout by machinists at Toronto International Airport was abandoned Tuesday night when 1,000 Air Canada workers refused to support it. It was planned for midnight to support 60 striking stewardesses of Wardair Canada Ltd.

Thalidomide Offers

OTTAWA (CP) — Health Minister Marc Lalonde told the Commons Tuesday that manufacturers of the thalidomide drug, which caused deformities in unborn babies, are negotiating with individual parents toward "a private settlement."

Most Active Stocks

Here are the 2 p.m. closing prices of the most active stocks on the Vancouver Exchange. For earlier prices, see Page 10.

INDUSTRIALS		
Pacific Petroleum	\$46.00	+37
Key Industries	22	-18
Hobrough	1.80	+15
OILS		
Albany	1.30	-04
Chenapal	.34	-01
Plains Petroleum	.38	-02
MINES		
Leaminc	.22	-03
Iskut	.22	-01
Gunn	1.40	-23
Kelco	.28	-04
High Chief	.18	-01

Canada Agrees To Peace Force

Times News Service

OTTAWA — External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp said today that Canada will take part in a Vietnam ceasefire observer force for 60 days when the combatants have signed the truce agreement.

During the initial 60 days, the government will decide whether to contribute for a longer period to the proposed four-country observer group. Sharp told the Commons that it will take several days to study the peace agreement, announced Tuesday, in order to make a final decision on participation for longer than 60 days.

He said Canada also would

base its decision on the lessons of the initial period.

Canada, Hungary, Indonesia and Poland will be asked to contribute 290 military personnel each to a four-power international commission of control and supervision to police the Vietnam ceasefire.

Formal documents issued today indicate that the commission — to be manned by the troops of the two Communist and two Western nations — will contribute a total of 1,100 men.

External Affairs Minister Mitchell Sharp emphasized Tuesday night that Canada would not decide whether to participate until the govern-

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Airport Searches

Air Canada has begun a security program which eventually will require every boarding passenger to undergo an inspection with a metal detector or magnetometer and a search of all hand luggage.

The new program should come into effect at Victoria International Airport within two weeks, an Air Canada spokesman said today.

Certain security procedures are already being used in the airport, he said, but refused to describe them as he said it would diminish their effectiveness. The new equipment will simply beef up existing precautions, he said.

The airline said the program, expected to cost more than \$1 million a year, began Jan. 2 on all flights coming into Canada from the United States.

Since that time, inspection of all hand luggage has been progressively increased at Canadian airports, said Jack Barclay, Air Canada's security chief.

The measures will be in effect by mid-February at all 32 domestic airports served by the airline and at all foreign airports to which it flies.

Legislation requiring fines of up to \$5,000 or one year in prison for people who refuse to obey orders of security officers at airports was introduced in the House of Commons Monday.

Captain John D. Wright, president of the Canadian Airline Pilots' Association, said Tuesday he was gratified by the legislation, which would require strict security measures and searches to be applied to all passengers.



Detector scans Montreal passenger.

Haiti Pays Terrorists To Free U.S. Diplomats

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (UPI) — Five Haitian terrorists today released U.S. Ambassador Clinton Knox and U.S. Consul Ward Christensen in return for a government promise to fly them, 12 political prisoners and \$70,000 ransom money to Mexico.

They had been holding the diplomats at gunpoint since Tuesday night.

A spokesman for the American embassy in Port au Prince said the gunmen released Knox and Christensen unharmed at the airport after the French ambassador intervened in the case.

A C-46 plane of the govern-

ment airline Air Haiti was ready to take off for Mexico with the five kidnappers, 12 political prisoners whose release they had demanded and \$70,000 in cash aboard. Also aboard the plane were Mexican Ambassador Duran, Papal Nuncio Luigi Barbarito and French Ambassador Bernard Dorin.

Dorin had carried out most of the negotiations with the terrorists, personally guaranteeing their safe passage out of the country in an appeal made over the Haitian radio. The gunmen apparently chose to go to Mexico of their own accord.

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Ottawa, Provinces Streamline Housing Plans

OTTAWA (CP) — Federal and provincial ministers took steps Tuesday to streamline planning in the housing field.

Annual conferences, permanent consultation between federal and provincial housing officials and long-term budgeting won general agreement at the conclusion of the two-day housing meeting here.

Housing conferences have not been held frequently—the last was in 1968. And there has been friction and misunderstanding between federal and provincial governments on housing.

Urban Affairs Minister Ron

Basford hailed the agreement as a "far more rational and orderly way to establish housing policy."

Most of the items receiving general support were suggested by Mr. Basford, although similar proposals were made by some provinces.

He rejected an Ontario demand for money without conditions attached, a move which he said would strip the federal government of any role in housing policy.

However, Ontario Revenue Minister Allan Grossman said he intends to keep fighting for his proposal.

The provinces also backed in principle Mr. Basford's plans for amending the National Housing Act. These include a variety of housing programs for low-income persons and a land-assembly plan designed to cut land costs.

The meeting also recommended on the agenda of the meeting that housing be included in the next federal-provincial-municipal conference in November.

Mayor D. G. Newman of Whitby, Ont., president of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, said he was pleased that local government representatives were included in all provincial delegations.

Mr. Basford committed the

federal government to continue spending a minimum of \$1 billion annually on housing programs and to commit funds for three-year periods rather than one year at a time.

This was greeted enthusiastically by Maurice Gessier, Quebec minister of municipal affairs. Mr. Tessier said this will mean his government can plan on \$1 billion in federal funds for Quebec in the next three years as the province gets about one-third of the national total.

The urban affairs minister accepted a Quebec recommendation allowing transfer of funds from one housing program to another to suit provincial needs.

But Ontario's request for block-funding—money provided without conditions—was rejected. Ontario was supported by Alberta while other provinces had modified plans along similar lines.

Alberta strongly criticized the Central Mortgage and Housing Corp. which it said He rejected an Ontario demand duplicating efforts by the Alberta Housing Corp. and delaying housing programs.

Quebec to Receive \$1 Billion in Loans

MONTREAL (CP) — Quebec expects to receive \$1 billion in federal loans and grants in the next three years as a result of agreement reached at the federal-provincial conference this week on housing in Ottawa, says Maurice Tessier, municipal affairs minister.

The money will come from the \$1 billion annually for housing and sewage programs promised to the provinces by Ron Basford, urban affairs minister. Mr. Tessier said Tuesday Quebec usually receives one-third of the national total.

The municipal affairs minister said he is "delighted" with the outcome of the conference which guaranteed "a large increase in federal assistance."

"Of the five or six federal-

provincial conferences I have attended, I have never seen one as productive."

He added that he is particularly pleased with the conditions of the new housing policy. In the future, he said, the province will be able to decide its own priorities.

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City Employees' Pay Gap Claimed

Public employees in Greater Victoria are falling behind their goal of obtaining wages comparable to those in the manufacturing industry, the Canadian Union of Public Employees said Tuesday.

Figures compiled by the union's research department show Greater Victoria has the highest gap between municipal labor rates and average hourly wages in manufacturing in a comparison involving 19 major Canadian municipalities.

The union is currently re-

negotiating contracts with Greater Victoria municipalities and is on strike against the Greater Victoria School District.

CUPE said a Victoria municipal laborer earned \$3.58 an hour last September, \$1.07 less than the average manufacturing rate.

Since 1966, the union said, the gap has nearly doubled from 56.5 cents hourly to \$1.07.

The gap is 27 cents an hour greater than Regina, second highest to Victoria in the comparison.

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His Job: Building Trust

By DAVID MAY
Times Staff

Staff-Sgt. Ray Nelson dislikes the term "peacemaker" attached to his duties as liaison officer with B.C.'s native Indians.

But today the 25-year RCMP veteran is in Port Hardy, confident he can find "immediate solutions" to the problems besetting the community's relations with the police.

Trouble broke out at the beginning of January when three 13-year-old boys were fingerprinted in their principal's office, following a break-in at Port Hardy high school.

The boys were later cleared of any connection with the offence but parental agreement

had not been obtained for the fingerprinting.

Eight juveniles were fingerprinted by Campbell River RCMP following the break-in. Attorney-General Alex Macdonald has since ordered the prints destroyed after a protest by parents and Comox MLA Karen Sanford.

Six of the juveniles involved in the incident were Indians. Nelson didn't know of his Port Hardy assignment until he read it in the paper, he said in an interview Tuesday.

But the RCMP officer is used to sudden moves. Since he became liaison officer last April, he has been dispatched on short notice to several other B.C. communities to settle local disputes with the police.

Last fall the number of ju-

veniles being charged in Fort St. James was a matter of concern for the RCMP. Nelson went to the town and quickly came up with the idea of a mothers' committee to work with local welfare groups.

It worked and juvenile cases in court dropped appreciably.

In Fort St. John, in the same year, one problem noted by Nelson was the lack of qualified drivers on the local Indian reserve.

He was instrumental in starting an RCMP-sponsored driver instruction course.

Children playing in the streets because they had nothing else to do also were a problem for the police as the young people gravitated towards the local hotels. A com-

munity centre has since been started and an appeal for sports equipment met with an enthusiastic response, says the policeman who started the ball rolling.

Although he has visited Port Hardy before, the present problems there are unknown to the plainclothes officer.

He dislikes "filling himself with background data," he says. He has no specific agenda for his visit, and says he will stay there "as long as he is needed."

Nelson denies that there is any material connection between the high school break-in and his trip to Port Hardy. That incident is in the province of the local RCMP detachment, he says. As far as Nelson, honorary member of the Terrace



NELSON
to Port Hardy

chapter of the B.C. Association of Non-Status Indians, is concerned, the Port Hardy assignment is just another chance to get together with the local chiefs and talk roller skates, ice hockey and driver instruction.

Union President Welcomes Challenge

DUNCAN — Fernie Viala feels that he is in one of the "rare positions where I can really help people."

Viala, 40, in November was elected president of the 4,000-member International Woodworkers of America Local 180.

He replaced Weldon Jubenville, who was president for 10 years until he resigned to run unsuccessfully for a regional position.

Although unions will always fight for better wages, working conditions and shorter work hours, Viala said his main objective as president is to see that the membership "gets the most for its money."

"I don't feel that a large pay cheque is any good if it doesn't help the man and family," he said.

Three election promises Viala is working on are: to retain an income tax expert for the use of the membership; to attain lower home and fire insurance costs and to establish a co-op store.

The income tax expert will start at the IWA hall in Duncan in mid-February, Viala said.

"He will be available to any IWA member at a minimal

cost for advice or assistance in making out income tax forms," Viala said. "It will help employees have savings where possible."

Lower insurance costs, Viala hopes to bring in by the summer.

"We are currently negotiating for a group plan for house fire and theft and comprehensive insurance," Viala noted.

"There is an indication that we can save members between five to 10 per cent." The union eventually plans to expand the plan so that any member of the community can join.

Viala said it will be several more months before a co-op is set up in this area because "it is much more complicated."

"Most of our pay cheques

are spent on shelter and food," he said.



VIALA

The union hopes to save its membership and other people in the community up to 18 per cent in groceries and household hardware by joining a co-operative in an attempt to eliminate the middle man.

Although the facility will be available to everyone in the community, Viala feels that it is "our responsibility as a union to spearhead the concept and get it going."

"We already have agencies going through the necessary channels to set it up."

Viala said that "we have been so stupid all these years to pay for five-minute television commercials and full page ads by big businesses. The cost is just added to the product."

The union hopes to help set up one central store in the area and eventually expand to

other areas under its jurisdiction.

Viala, also executive board member for his local on the regional executive board and a member of the coast negotiating committee, said there are many other areas he can help his membership.

"I always get a feeling of satisfaction when I help get a member out of trouble," he said.

Rites Held For Cleric

Funeral services were held Monday for Rev. Robert Garner Thompson, 77, who worked with the elderly and shut-ins as visiting minister for First United Church until last spring.

The service was conducted by Rev. Hugh Hunter, assisted by Dr. Scott Leith, present visiting minister, Dr. Albert King, chairman of Victoria Prebrytry, and the Very Rev. Dr. Hugh McLeod, former moderator of the United Church.

A native of Ontario, Thompson graduated from Victoria University and Victoria Theological College in Toronto before taking up his ministry in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

He was a veteran of the First World War, serving with the 14th Royal Warwickshire Regiment at Vimy Ridge.

He is survived by his wife Evelyn, two sons, Rev. Murray Thompson of Vancouver and Barrie Thompson of Edmonton, and daughter Mrs. Carl Prunkl of Victoria.

Flood Damage Assessments Studied

DUNCAN — Assessments of flood damage in the Cowichan Valley during the Christmas holidays will be wrapped up by the end of January, flood assessors headquarters said today.

The spokesmen for Canadian Independent Adjusters Conference said that 115 applications have been received. Estimated total damage is \$115,000. Flooding occurred mainly in the Beverly-Heather streets in North Cowichan and Lang Street, Chemainus.

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Ladies' Service Shoes are soft, comfortable and so easy on your feet!

Here's a shoe made for the lady who's on her feet all day! Soft moccasin style uppers with foam sole and wedge heel. Cotton drill lining. Perforated instep. White or tan. Full sizes 5 to 10.

Pair
2²²

FINAL CLEARANCE

Misses' and Ladies' Two Tone Track Shoes

Canvas uppers, moulded soles, long wearing B9 Can Vees. Misses sizes 11 to 3. Ladies 6 to 9. Pair **\$3**

Ladies' Oxfords With Blue and Red Stripes

Rubber soles. 3 eye tie. Sizes 6 to 9. Pair **1.77**

Ladies' White Wet Look

5 eye tie Oxfords with walking heel. Long wearing composition soles. Sizes 6 to 9. Pair **\$2**

Men's Dress Shoes

In Oxford and slip-on styles. Brown only. Canadian made. Sizes 8 to 11. Pair **\$10**

Ladies' Dress Shoes

In various styles and colours. Not all sizes in every style. Pair **\$10**

Boys' and Men's Fleece Lined Thermo Boots

Heavy rubber soles. 100% water proof. Boys' sizes 1 to 6. Pair **4.66**
Men's sizes 9 to 12. Pair **4.96**

Misses' Warm Lined Vinyl Boots

In brown and black. 100% water proof. Pull-on style. Pair **5.88**

Boys' Blue Suede Kicker Boots

Creeper rubber soles. Canadian Made. Sturdy construction. Broken sizes. Pair **7.88**

Men's Heavy-Duty Cleat

Sole insulated. 100% water proof boots. Wine colour only. Sizes 7 to 12. Pair **\$6**

Ladies' and Misses'

Hard sole and rubber sole slipperettes. Various styles and colours. Misses' sizes 11 to 2. Pair **.72**

Ladies' White Vinyl Golf Shoes

White, blue, and red coloured. Shal tongues. Not all sizes. Pair **\$1**

Ladies' High Heel Evening Sandals

Dressy, gold and silver with straps over instep. Made in Italy. Sizes 6 to 9. Pair **\$5**

Boys' Soccer Shoes

Black with white stripes and rubber sole with rubber cleats. Sizes 1 to 6. Pair **\$3**

MORE BIG FEATURES FROM...

Woolco Home Fair

January 24th to January 27th

25" COLOR

RCA Accucolor Super 90 Color Console With 90% Solid State Chassis

RCA's Accumatic color/tint control keeps the color on target automatically. Power grid VHF tuner and solid state UHF tuner. Walnut vinyl clad cabinet. 1 Year parts, labour and service. 30 1/2 x 34 x 18 1/2".

549.88
Each

19" COLOR

Quality 19" Sanyo Color Portable, Priced Low!

Features automatic fine tuning, slide lever controls, automatic degaussing, VHF/UHF, solid state chroma circuitry and separate slide controls for manual operation of tint and color. 16 1/2 x 24 x 19".

419.88
Each

12" BLACK & WHITE

USE YOUR CREDIT just say "CHARGE IT"

"Fleetwood" 12" Solid State Black & White Portable TV!

Features Automatic gain control, solid state circuitry, VHF/UHF and has all-transistorized chassis. Set comes in your choice of coloured cabinets. Pick one to suit your home. Red, Avocado, Black or Orange.

109.88

Brentwood AM/FM /MPX Stereo with 8-Track Stereo Tape Player

Beautiful walnut finish cabinet, 48" long, houses solid state stereo and record player! 4 speakers, automatic 4-speed BSR changer and a record storage bin. A great buy for the music lover at a price that's bound to please! 48 x 16 1/2 x 25".

269.88

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